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Ordered that Court adjourn to Eight Oclock tomorrow morning

David Raymond -

Thursday June 6th 1816, Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(James B McCall Esq Associate Judge

United States)
)
vs) Indt. on motion for arrest of Judgt.
)
James Lamston)
)
James Chisum)
)
John Trulock)

The Court on consideration over Rule the Motion and the defendants being again brought to the bar, and on being asked if they have anything further to say why the sentence of the law should not be Pronounced against them, say that they have nothing further to say. Whereupon it is ordered by the court that they severally make their fine to the County of Knox in the sum of thirty five dollars: together with costs of Prosecution, and that they stand committed until fine and costs be paid -

Johh Meyers & Julie his Wife)
)
vs) Case, Slander, Dge $5000.
)
Pierre Andre & Barbary his Wife)

Parties appeared and on motion of the defendant by his attorney for a french Jury, ordered that a Jury De Meda Tata Lingera be summoned in this cause to which opinion the Plaintiff by their counsel Excepts, and

tendered their Bill of Exceptions which is signed and sealed and thereupon came a Jury to wit, Ephraim Jordan, William Adams, Sam Parr, Henry Merrick, James McClure, Robt Mc Dowal, Joseph Oneille -

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Antoine Cornoyer, Francois Avelin, Hyacinthe Lasselle, Amable Potran, and James Roland twelve good and lawful men, who Elected tried and sworn, on their oath say, we the Jury find for the defendants, - Ephraim Jordan foreman. on Motion of Plaintiff that Defendants shew cause why a new trial should not be granted, continued by the Court untill tomorrow morning -

James W Shore)
)
vs)
)
Will U Wilson)

Parties appeared by their attornies and on motion of Defendant for continuance for want of a material witness, and on affidavit being filed, this cause continued until next term, on payment of Costs by deft -

Thomas Jones)
)
vs) Soi Fa.
)
Zachariah Chicot)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Phillip Catte, Robert McDowell, James B. Wheeler, Joseph Voudry, Abraham Decker, James M Clure, Ethelred Bass, Manassa Brown, Jesse Thomas, Daniel Decker, William Adams, and Pierre Lapiant, twelve good and

lawful men, who being elected, tried and Sworn, on their oath say, we of the Jury find for the Plaintiff the debt in the Science facias mentioned to be discharged by the payment of two hundred and thirty Six Dollars and twenty six cents - Philip Catte, foreman -
Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner & form aforesaid found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and said Def in Mercy &c

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Sally Haney admr. of Squire Patterson)
)
vs) appeal
)
Lewis F Wist)

On motion of Defendant by his attorney to dismiss this appeal - The plaintiff moved for an order to the Justice before whom this Cause was tried, to Certify the record thereof to this Court by and at the next term - whereupon the Court take time to consider -

Elliot Wilson)
)
vs) appeal.
)
Moses Rawlins)

Parties appeared by their attornies and on motion of Gen W. Johnson atto. for deft. Ordered that the Judgment had herein before the Justice be reversed. Therefore it is considered that the Deft. do recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf, expended, and said Pltfs in mercy &c

William McIntosh)
)
vs) Tres. Case. Dge. $400 -
)
Simon Vanarsdal)

Parties appeared by their attornies and on motion of Pltff. ordered that this cause be continued for the return of Dedimus and depositions and thereupon the defendant gave notice in open Court that the Pltf be ready to try this Cause at next term

Benoni Middleton)
)
vs) Debt.
)
Jonathan Riley)

Pltf appeared by his attorney and dismissed this cause, therefore it is considered that deft Recover his cost &c.

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 o clock tomorrow morning

David Raymond

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Friday June 7th 1816. Court met according to adjournment from yesterday -

Present David Raymond. Pres Judge

Owen Riley)
)
vs) Foreign attachment
)
Babbitt & Fairbanks)

on motion, avered that the Property attached by the Sheriff in this cause be sold by the Sheriff according to law

James B. M McCall took his seat on the Bench -

Wm McIntosh)
)
vs) Case. Tres Vi Et armis -
)
Simon Vanarsdal)

Parties appeared by their attornies, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Parr Eph Jordan, Joseph Foudrey, Jesse Thomas, James McClure, George Catte, Abrm Decker, Manassa Brown, James B Wheeler, Ethelred Bass, William Adams & Edward Purcell twelve good and lawful men, who being Elected tried and sworn on their oath say, We of The Jury find for the Defendant Sam Parr foreman.

John Bte Lapiante Jun)
)
By J B Lapiante Son. his father)
)
vs)
)
Francois Creely)

Plaintiff appeared by his attorney and Defendant in his own proper person, and this cause dismissed at the Defendants costs - Therefore it is considered that the Pltf do recover of the Deft his costs & charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in mercy &c-

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Masonpecongah or the Owl)
)
vs) Case Detinue
)
Thomas Jones)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston his attorney and deft by John Johnson his counsel, and Pltf not being ready for trial this cause

placed to the foot of the docket whereupon the Deft gave notice in open Court that the Pltf be ready to try this cause at the next term

John W Bean)
)
vs) on Certionaie
)
John Bartlett)

Parties appeared by their attornies and this cause continued -

Francois Valle & Jean Bte Langlois

Adm of Alex Valle Dec.

vs) Debt $56.62½ Dge $100.
)
Charles Loudriette & Joseph Joyouse)

Plaintiffs appeared by G. W. Johnston their attorney - Deft being three times Solemnly called came not, but made default, Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiffs do recover of the Defendants the sum of fifty six dollars & sixty two & a half cents debt and two dollars, twenty six cents Interest up to this day, together with their costs & charges by them about their suit in this behalf expended, & Defts in mercy --

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H. Vallie & Jean Bte Langlois)
)
Admr. of Alex Valle Dec)
)
vs) Debt 57.12½ Dge $100
)
John Meyers & Joseph Cardinal)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston - their attorney, and Defts being Solemnly called came not but made default. Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defts the sum of Fifty seven Dollars & twelve & a half cents Debt. and two dollars & twenty eight cents Interest up to this day - together With their costs & charges by them about their suit in this behalf Expended - and said Defts in Mercy &

James G Reed Assignee of John Meyers)
)
vs) Debt $91.00 Dge $100
)
James Stuart)

Plaintiff appeared by his attorney and defendant being Solemnly called came not. But made default, therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the sum of ninety one Dollars Debt, and three Dollars & Sixty cents Interest, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended - and said Deft in mercy -

James S Miner for the Use of Isaac Miner)
)
vs) Debt $120, Dge $100
)
Daniel Sullivan)

Parties appeared by their Attorney and this cause held for consideration untill tomorrow morning

The Sheriff of this county appeared in court & Protested against the gaol of this County, as being Insufficient to retain Prisoners therein.

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Abraham Decker)
vs) Tres Vi et armis $500
John Spade John Pea and Jacob Pea Jun)

Parties appeared by their attornies, and this cause having been referred to the arbitration of Walter Wilson Phillip Catte, Isaac Miner & Wm Baird, and the said arbitrators having returned their award to this term, which said award is in the words & figures following, to wit, we the undersigned arbitrators being mutually chosen by and on the part of Abraham Decker Plaintiff, and John Spade, John Pea & Jacob Pea defendants in an action of Trespass. Depending in the Circuit Court of Knox County, to settle and terminate the said controversy and being assembled at the house of John B Drennin Esq and being Duly sworn by the said Drennin as a Justice of the Peace, to a faithful discharge of our Duties: having heard the alligations of the Parties respectively, and their respective Witnesses - and after a due examination and consideration thereof, do award, order & Determine that the said Defendants Spade & Pea & Pea do pay unto the said Plaintif Decker, the sum of Four Dollars & twenty five cents by way of damages, as also the costs of the above suit for which, Judgment shall be Entered, and when paid the said Plaintiff shall recipt to the said defendants, in full of all damages, Debts, dues & Demands - given under our hands & seals and Published to the aforesaid Parties, at the place afd. on Satturday the 18th day, of May A.D. 1816.

Walter Wilson (Seal) Isaac Miner (Seal)

Phillip Catte (Seal) Will Baird (Seal)

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the said Plaintiff do recover of the said defts the sum aforesaid in manner & form afd, by the arbitrators afd. awarded & said Defts in Mercy &c

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Abijah Jerem & Jesse Hunt)
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vs) Judgt by deft for want of decln.
)
Robert Buntin) Case Dge. $800.

Defendant appeared by Gen W. Johnston his attorney, and Plaintiffs being three times Solemnly called came not but made Default Therefore it is considered by the court that the Judgt of non pros be confirmed and that the defendant do recover of the Plaintiffs his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended - and said Pltff in mercy &

William L. Coleman)
)
vs) Petn & Sum. Debt. $96. -
)
John Butler Ned Sims & Francis Jackson)

Parties appeared by their counsel, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Ephraim Jordan, John Chinoweth, Daniel Decker, William Adam, Edw. Purcell, Abraham Decker, George Catte, Joseph Voudry, Jesse Thomas, Henry Merrick, Manassa Brown & James B Wheeler, twelve good and lawful men, who being Elected, tried and sworn, on their oath say, we the Jury find for the Plaintiff the Debt in the Petition Mentioned, and Eight Dollars, and Sixty four cents in Damages - Manassa Brown foreman
On motion of Defendants for Pltf. to shew cause why a new trial should

not be granted - continued for argument until tomorrow -

Louis Mallet)
)
vs) Tres. Case. Dge $100 Office Judgt.
)
Charles Landers (Alias) Longuido)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston his attorney & Defts being Solemnly called came not. But made default, whereupon on motion it is considered that the office Judgt had herein be confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the deft, the sum of forty five Dollars Debt. With Interest from 15th June 1815 together with his costs & charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended. & said Deft in Mercy &c

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Peter Jones)
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vs)
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Saml Perry)

On Motion for new trial The court on due consideration hereof are of opinion that the rule obtained herein be discharged, whereupon on Motion it is considered that the defendant do recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and Said Pltf. in mercy c

John Meyers & Julie his wife)
)
vs) Case Slander. Dge $5,000
)
Pierre Andrè (called Bedashee))
)
and Barbary his Wife)

On motion for a new trial. The court on due consideration hereof

are of opinion that the rule obtained herein be discharged. Whereupon on motion it is considered that the defendant do recover of the Plaintiffs their costs & charges by them about their suit in this behalf expended, and said Pltf in Mercy -

James Miller)
)
vs) Case Slander - dge $1000.
)
David Smith)

On motion of G. W. Johnston att. for Pltff - ordered that Dedimus do issue to take the Deposition of Witnesses in the Illinois Territory the opposite party having sufficient notice of the time and Place of taking such deposition. Retble to the next term - and this cause continued.

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Frederick Graeter)
)
vs) Tres case dge $150.
)
Ettienne (Alias) Steven Mischel)

Plaintiff appeared by his counsel and deft being called came not, but made default, whereupon came a Jury to wit, Ephraim Jordan, John Chinoweth, Daniel Decker, Edward Purcell, Abm Decker, Joseph Voudry, George Catte, Jesse Thomas, Henry Merrick, Manassa Brown, James B Wheeler, Will Adams, twelve good and lawful men, who being Elected tried and sworn, on their oath say, we the Jury find for the Plaintiff Sixty Eight Dollars and Eighty five cents in Damages - Ephraim Jordan foreman. Therefore it is Considered by the Court, that the Plaintiff do recover of the defend-

ant and Benj V. Beckes Sheriff of Knox County the sum aforesaid in manner & form afd. found together with his costs & charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended & said deft and Sheriff in mercy c c

Truman Blackman)
)
vs) Tres Case Dge $150
)
Sylvia Aiken)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and on motion of Plaintiff ordered that the Sheriff amend his return: and that the Pleadings in this Cause be set aside to the filing of the declaration and this cause remanded to the rules.

John Meyers)
)
vs) Debt $86.25.
)
William McKay)
)
George McKay)

The Sheriff returns William McKay not found - the def - Geo McKay in custody. On motion, ordered that the said Defendant George McKay be released from Custody, on his Entering into special Bail in this cause - whereupon Personally appeared in open

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court Robert McKay, and undertook for George McKay at the Suit of John Meyers, in an action of debt for eighty six Dollars and twenty five cents, now depending in the said Court. That the said George McKay shall appear in the said court at the next term thereof to answer said suit, and that in case the said George McKay will pay and Satisfy the

condemnation of the said court, or render his body to Prison in Execution for the same, or that the said Robert McKay will do it for him

John McBean)
)
vs) on certionau
)
John Bartlett)

Parties Appeared by their attornies, and on consideration of the Court, It is considered that the Judgment had in this cause before the Justice be confirmed, and that the said John Bartlett, recover of the said John W Bean his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended & Sd John M Bean in Mercy ---

Upon the calling up of this cause the said McBean offered the following reasons & causes of Error in order to reverse the Judgment of the Justice of the Peace - 1st The Justice entered up Final Judgment for the Plaintiffs' belour's demand, being upon an account, upon a Judgment by Default, and that Without evidence or Testimony; which by law he ought not to have done. - 2nd The Justice Continued the Cause, after the return of the summons or Writ. a longer period than by law he was authorized to do before making up his Decision - in that there is &c

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3rd The Precepts and Judgment does not pursue the forms laid down in the Statute Law by the legislature in that there is &c

4th General Error - The Court (Without affording the Pltff. counsel an opportunity of reply) overruled the above reasons, Saying that,

for ought that appeared, ample Justice had been done, and confirmed the Judgment of the Justice of the peace, With costs - to which opinion the Pltf by his counsel excepts and prays that his bill of exceptions may be signed &c

David Raymond (Seal)

J. B McCall (Seal)

Ordered that Court do adjourn until nine O clock tomorrow morning -

David Raymond

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Saturday June 8th 1816. Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(James B McCall Esq Associate Judge

Toussaint Dubois)
)
Vs)
)
Ettienne Bisayon Admr. of Francois Bisayon Dec)

Parties appeared by their counsel - on motion of Pltff to amend the Error of the Clerk in entering the Judgment in this cause at October term 1815 - in the Entry as made, it is thus stated, "Toussaint Dubois Vs Ettienne Bisayon" when it should have been Toussaint Dubois vs Ettiene Bisayon admn. of Francis Bisayon Dec" - On hearing the arguments and on inspecting the papers filed in this cause, and the Entry made by the clerk, It is the opinion of the Court that there is sufficient among the Papers filed in the suit upon which the Judgment was

entered, to correct the same by, and that the words "administrator of Francois Bisayon Deceased" be added, after the words, Ettienne Bisayon, So as to read "Toussaint Dubois vs Ettienne Bisayon Administrator of Francois Bisayon Deceased" -

John Case & Thomas Case)
)
admrs. of Joseph Case Dec.)
)
vs) Sum. Trover & Conr. Dge $500.
)
Eli Hawkins)

Parties appeared by their counsel, and on motion, and by consent, ordered that Dedimus do issue to each party to take Depositions of Witnesses in any of the United States or territory thereof, before any Justice of the peace in said States or Territory, The opposite party having Sufficient Notice of time & place of taking such Depositions and this Cause Continued until next term

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On motion of George R Sullivan and James B McCall Administrator of Henry Vanderburgh Dec - Ordered that Isaac Blackford Jacob KuyKendal and Gen W Johnston be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to convey a Part of a lot, to Wilson Layou which the said Henry Vanderburgh, in his lifetime Bound himself to do by Bond -

Benjamin Chambers)
)
vs) In Chancery. on injunction
)
George Groves)

This cause, this day came on to be heard on Bill and answer, and on

consideration whereof, It is decreed and ordered that the Injunction obtained by the complainant to stay the Execution in the Bill mentioned, be Dissolved, and it is further decreed that the Complainant pay to the defendant his costs, in this behalf most wrongfully, expended, and that the Defendant have his Execution against the complainant and Samuel France his Surety.

The application of Hyacinthe Laselle Admr. to set aside the Probate granted in the office and for the rejection of Letters Testamentary upon a paper purporting to be the Will of Antoine Marchall Dec. was now taken up, and after the Examination of Sundry Witnesses & argument of Counsel, The court take time to consider thereof until next term -

Truman Blackman)
)
vs)
)
Sylvia Aiken)

On motion ordered that Dedimus Issue to take depositions of Witnesses, to each party, in any place of taking such Deposition -

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Ordered that Henry J. Mille be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twelve Dollars for his attendance on this court as constable During this Term : Twelve days @ one Dollar pr day.

Ordered that John Bruner be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twelve dollars for his attendance on this court as constable During this term, twelve Days, @ one Dollar P day -

Henry J Mills Coroner of Knox County appeared in court and acknowl-

edged the execution of a deed of Sale to Henry Dubois and Charles Smith of three hundred acres of land, for the sum of Five hundred and Fifty one dollars, sold as the Property of Parmenas Beckes Deceased, at the suit of Peter Jones

Ordered that all suits, causes, motions and other Business of any Description Whatsoever pending before this court - and not otherwise Disposed of be and the same are hereby continued until next term

Ordered that court adjourn until court in course -

J. B McCall

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At a Circuit Court began and held at the Court house in the Borough of Vincennes on Monday the fifteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixteen for the special Purpose of hearing what may be said for or against the Enlargment of William Noy, Samuel Roquet and Henry Morrows - in conformity to an order of the Circuit Court passed at the June term, last, -

Present (James B McCall, William Polke Esqs) associate Judges -

On Motion of G. R. C. Sullivan atto. for Defts.The Court, on Examination and due consideration, are of opinion that the notice given to the Creditors, by advertising in the Western Sun, is not conformably to the requisition of the law - but that Written notice should be given - It is therefore ordered that the fourth Monday in August next be and the same is hereby appointed to hear What may be offered for or against the liberation of the said Defendants

Ordered that Court do adjourn to the fourth Monday in August next

J. B McCall

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At a Circuit Court began and held at the court house in the Borough of Vincennes on Monday the thirtieth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixteen -

Present (David Raymond
(Presiding Judge

The Grand Jury being called, appeared, and were sworn, as follows - viz: John Ockeltree, foreman, Thomas Baird, Thomas McClure, Sebastian Catte, Frederick Mail, Abraham Spain, Joshua Thorn, George McClure, James Watson, William Purcell, Thomas Jordan, Abraham Roadarmel, Lewis Frederick, William Partlow, Adam Clayecomb, and John Barkman, Sixteen good and lawful men, who having heard and received their charge, retired -

William Prince, Prosecuting for, and on the part of the United States this day tendered to the court his resignation, which was accepted - Whereupon, Isaac Blackford, was appointed by the Court, Prosecuting attorney for the County of Knox, and came into Court and took the oath of Office

Peter Frederick having been Summoned by the Sheriff to attend at this Court as a Juror appeared and made his excuse, which is satisfactory, and he is therefore excused from further attendance at this term

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Jacob Call attorney and Counsellor at law, appeared in Court and Produced his license from B. Parke and Walter Taylor Judges of the General Court, to practice law, and he having this day taken the oath of office, and the oath more effectually to prevent duelling, as follows, That he has not knowingly carried, or accepted a challenge to fight in single combat or otherwise with any deadly Weapon, since his residence in this territory, nor will he knowingly carry or accept a challenge to fight in single combat or otherwise with any deadly weapon during his continuance in Practice as an attorney and Counsellor at law in this Territory - he is therefore admitted to Practice

Nathaniel Huntington attorney and counsellor at law appeared in Court and Produced his licence, and this way took the oath of office and the oath more effectually to prevent Duelling. he is therefore admitted to Practice -

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
Solomon Francis)
)
Peter Whetstone)

This day came the attorney Prosecuting on behalf of the United States, and says he will no further Prosecute this Cause - It is therefore considered that the same be and it is hereby Dismissed -

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United States)
)
vs) Indictment
)
Will Clarke & David Clarke)

On motion of prosecuting attorney, ordered that this cause be and the same is continued until tomorrow.

United States)
)
vs) Indt. & Recog -
)
John Evans)

Defendant being called the Crier returned "No answer" - whereupon on motion of the Prosecuting attorney, it is ordered that the Defendant shew cause here tomorrow morning, why his recognizance should not be forfeited -

United States)
)
vs) Indt for Fraud.
)
John Marney)

In this cause two witnesses called, and no answer returned - whereupon on motion of the Prosecuting attorney ordered that an attachment issue against William D Bedell and William Badger, for contempt - and this cause continued untill tomorrow -

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
John Colbert)

Defendant called and no answer returned - whereupon on motion of Prosecuting Attorney, ordered that a Capias Issue Retble Instanter, and this cause contd. to tomorrow.

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United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
John McClure)

Defendant being called the Crier returned "no answer", and on motion, ordered that a capias do issue Retble Instanter - and Defendant being arraigned at the Bar, and Indt read Pleaded not guilty and the Defendant made oath in open court that he cannot go safely into trial for want of a material witness in this cause - and on motion and by consent, ordered that Dedimus Issue Directed to any Justice of the Peace in the Illinois Territory, to take the Depositions of Witnesses on the part of the defendant - and this cause contd. to next term

United Stated)
)
vs) Indt
)
Christian Graeter)

Defendant called and "no answer" returned, and on motion ordered that a Capias do Issue Retble Instanter whereupon Defendant Appeared, and being arraigned Plead, not guilty - and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Samuel Thompson, Phillip Devore, Isaac Chancellor, James Greenfield, William Bass, Jonathan Purcell, John Reel, Joseph Woods, Saml Stucky, John Sheets, Joseph Williams and Frederick Claycomb twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and Sworn, on their oath say, we of the Jury find the Defendant guilty in manner & form as he stands charged in the Indt - Sam Stucky foreman. and on motion -

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for a new trial, ordered that the Plaintiff shew cause tomorrow afternoon at two Oclock, why a new trial should not be granted -

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
Jack Dubois)

Parties appeared by their counsel and on motion, this cause continued untill tomorrow -

James Shaw)
)
vs) attach vs John Thompson const.
)
Dan Rankin)

Personally appeared in open court John F. Thompson and acknowledged himself to be indebted to James Shaw the sum of one hundred Dollars, and Samuel Thompsom, his surety appeared in court and acknowledged to owe to James Shaw the sum of one hundred Dollars, to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements if default shall be made in the following condition - The condition of this recognisance is such that if the above Bounden John F Thompson do personally appear in our Circuit Court, now sitting in Vincennes, on Monday the seventh day of October now next, and answer to an attachment Issued against him from our said Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law -

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 oclock tomorrow morning

David Raymond.

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Tuesday October first 1816 court met according to adjournment from yesterday

Present (David Raymond, Presiding Judge

United States) vs Polly Purcell) Indictment for Murder -

This day came the attorney Prosecuting on the part of the United States and says he will no further Prosecute this suit. It is therefore considered that the same be and it is hereby Dismissed -

United States) vs John Evans.) Indictment

Defendant Appeared in conformity to the order of court yesterday - and made his Excuse which is Satisfactory to the court. Whereupon it is ordered that the rule obtained yesterday against the Defendant, in this cause, be and the same is hereby Discharged - and the attorney Prosecuting on the part of the United States, comes and says he will no further prosecute this cause. It is therefore considered that the same be and it is hereby Dismissed and on motion, ordered that the Recog--nizance Entered into at the last Term of this Court be and the same is hereby Discharged -

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John Holkar)
)
vs) In Chancery -
)
John Edgar)

Dismissed at the last term of this Court by the complainants - and on motion of the Defendant by his counsel, It is now, ordered that the defendant have leave to withdraw the original Papers filed by him in this cause -

John Edgar)
)
vs) In Chancery.
)
John Holkar)

On Cross Bill dismissed by complainants. On application of Robert Buntin Jun. and John McClure, ordered that a writ of ad - quod dam - num Issue returnable to next term, to ascertain what damage & may be Sustained by their erecting a Mill and dam on their land in Township 10 Range no 10 East and on the N. W. & N. E. quarter of Section 28 and that the Sheriff execute the said Writ on the fourteenth day of this, October, Inst.

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United States)
)
vs) Indt for Fraud -
)
John Marney)

Defendant appeared and being arraigned, Plead not guilty - whereupon came a Jury to wit, Samuel Stucky, Phillip Devore, William Bass,

Frederick Claycombe, Jonathan Purcell, Joseph William, Samuel Thompson, James Greenfield, John Sheets, Joseph Woods, Michael Starner and John Reel - twelve good and lawful men, who being Elected, tried and sworn on their oath say, we of the Jury find the Defendant guilty in manner and form as he Stands charged in the indictment -

Sam Stucky foreman -

and on motion for new trial, ordered that the Plaintiffs Shew cause tomorrow afternoon at 3 Oclock why a new trial should not be granted

On application of Edward Brazelton, an orphan Boy of the age of Fourteen years in July last that Henry Miller be appointed his guardian, and he having Satisfied the Court that this is his own Free Will and Choice, It is ordered by the Court that the said Henry Miller be and He is hereby appointed guardian to the said Edward on his entering bond with Sufficient Surety in the sum of one hundred and Fifty Dollars, in two weeks from the date hereof, in the clerks office, conditioned for the faithful Discharge of his duty as such guardian.

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United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
Will Clark & David Clark)

The defendant William Clark appeared in court and made oath that he cannot go safely into trial for want of the testimony of Isaiah Westfall, a material witness in this cause - and on motion and by consent, ordered that Dedimus Issue directed to any Justice of the Peace in the Missouri

Territory to take deposition on the part of sd Defendant, and this cause continued

United States)
)
vs) Ind.t.
)
Wm Clark David Clark)

Personally appeared in open court, Edward Perdoo, Samuel Young, and William Johnston, and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the United States the Sum of fifty dollars, Each, to be levied of their respective Goods and Chattels, lands & Tenements, if Default should be made in the following condition. The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the above bounden Edward Perdoo, Saml Young and William Johnston, do personally be and appear on the first day of the next term of this Court, to give Evidence on behalf of the United States in this cause, and not depart the court without Leave, Then this Recog. to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue in law -

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United States)
)
vs) Ind.t.
)
Ch. Graeter)

On Motion for new trial - The Court take time to consider hereof until tomorrow -

Richard P. Price)
)
vs) Tres. Case. Dge $500
)
John Patton)

on motion of Gen W. Johnston attorney for Plaintiff, ordered that a dedimus Issue directed to any Justice of the Peace in the Illinois Territory, to take deposition on behalf of the Plaintiff -

Thomas Jones)
)
vs) In Chancery -
)
John McElmurry)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and by Consent, this cause Submitted to the Court on the papers -

The Heirs of Pea)
)
vs) In Chancery -
)
The Heirs of Asturgus)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and by consent this cause Submitted to the Court on the papers and Authorities -

The Heirs of Pea)
)
vs) In Chancery -
)
William Reed)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and by consent this cause Submitted to the Court on the Papers -

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 o clock tomorrow morning

David Raymond

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Wednesday, October 2nd 1816 - Court met according to adjournment from yesterday -

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(Daniel Sullivan, Associate Judge

Harrison & Plummer)
)
vs) In Chancery -
)
Isaac Reese)

Parties appeared by their counsel, and it appearing to the court that this Cause is not at issue. It is ordered that the same be and it is hereby Remanded to the Rules.

Noah Purcell & others heirs of Jonathan Purcell)
)
vs) in Chancery
)
Buntin & Vigo)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and it appearing to the Court that this cause is not at issue, It is ordered that the same be and it is hereby Remanded to the Rules.

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
Jack Dubois)

Defendant appeared and being arraigned, Pleaded not guilty, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Stucky, Joseph Wood, Joseph Williams, John Sheets, Phillip Devere, Jonathan Purcell, James Greenfield, Frederick Claycomb, William Bass, John Reel, Ephraim Gilmore, and William Collins. Twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and sworn, on their oath say, we of the Jury find the Defendant not guilty

United States)
)
vs) on motion for a new trial
)
Christian Graeter)

and now at this day came the Defendant and the Court being fully advised herein, Order that the rule be made absolute - and this Cause Continued until tomorrow -

The Grand Jury appeared at the Barr and Presented the following Bills vizt.

United States)
)
vs) Indt.. for trading with Indians without Licence-
)
Samuel Rocus)

on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Ordered that a Capias do Issue Returnable Instanter.

United States)
)
vs) Indictment for Assault & Batte
)
William French)

United States)
)
vs) Indictment for assault & Batty
)
Samuel Noling)

on motion ordered that a Venira Issue Retble Instanter -

United States)
)
vs) Indt.. for trading with Indians Without Licence --
)
Sam Moore)

On motion of Prosecuting Attorney ordered that a Capias do Issue Returnable Instanter

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United States)
)
vs) Indt. for assault & Battery
)
Thomas Mellon)

On motion of Prosecuting attorney Ordered that a Venira do issue Returnable to next term -

United States)
)
vs) Indt. for asst & Battery -
)
William Wilson)

John D Hay)
)
vs) Petn. & Sum. No. 6 $237.25 cts.
)
John Ant Lafond)

Plaintiff appeared by Isaac Blackford his Attorney, and Defendant being Solemnly called, came not but made Default.

It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum of two hundred and thirty seven Dollars and twenty five Cents With Interest from the nineteenth day of May 1816 - together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Deft. in mercy -

William Coleman)
)
vs) Petn & Sum. Cont. from last term
)
Ned Sims, Jack Butler) on Mo for new trial.
)
& Francis Jackson)

Parties appeared by their ettornies, and after argument had, the Court take time to consider hereof. and this Cause cont. for the Present.

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William L Coleman)
)
vs)
)
James Stewart &) Pet. & Sum. Debt $51
)
Zachariah Pulliam)

Plaintiff appeared by George R. C. Sullivan his attorney and on motion to amend the Petition and Summons in this cause - The Court take time to Consider -

David Embree)
)
vs) Petn & Sum. Debt $240
)
Truman Blackman)

Defendant appeared in his own proper person, and the Plaintiff by George R. C Sullivan his attorney come and dismissed this suit at the Defendants Costs, by consont of the said defendant, therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Def his costs and Charges. by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Def. in mercy

Wm H. Harrison)
)
vs) Pet. & Sum
)
Truman Blackman)

Parties appeared by their Council and on motion of Gen. W. Johnston. Defts atto to quash the Petitions & Summons Issued in this cause - the court, after argument, over rule the motion - Whereupon the Defendant came into court and made Oath and Filed his affidavit that Material Witnesses in this Cause are absent, and their Testimony could not be Procured at this term - and on motion, Ordered that Dedimus do Issue directed to any Justice of the Peace in the state of Ohio or Kentucky, to take Deposition, on the part of the Defendant and this Cause continued to next term

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Henry Hurst)
)
vs) Petn & Sum. - Note $500
)
Moses Rawlin)

Plaintiff appeared by G. F. C. Sullivan his atto and Defendant although Solemnly called came not but made default It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant The sum of Fifty dollars. The Debt in the Petition Mentioned, With Interest from Sept Seventh 1816 until paid, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in mercy-

The Grand Jury appeared and Presented the following Indiotment -

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United States)
)
vs) Indt for assault & Batty
)
Noah Purcell)

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Defendant appeared and being arraigned, Pleaded quilty to the Charges as set forth in the Indictment - and puts himself on the mercy of the Court -

There Being no further Business before the Grand Jury, they were discharged -

Henry Landes, having been heretofore Recognized before Elihu Stout Esq. To appear before the Judges of this Court at this term to answer certain charges- this day appeared, and there being nothing found against him, It is ordered that the Recog. Entered into as above be and the same is hereby discharged -

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John Ewing)
)
vs) Debt.
)
William Wilson)

Defendant appeared by C. R. C. Sullivan his attorney and Confined Judgment for the Sum of Three hundred and Fifty Dollars and Eight Cents, With Interest from the twenty first day of September 1816, untill paid. It is therefore Considered that the Plaintiff do recover against the Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid confessed, together with his costs and

Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended - and Said Deft in Mercy --

United States)
)
vs) Indt for assault & Batty
)
William French)

Defendant appeared and being arraigned Pleaded guilty to the Charges as set forth in the Indictment -

United States)
)
vs) Indt for fraud.
)
John Marney)

on motion for new trial - The United States by I Blackford. P. A. and Defendant by Alex Buckner his Counsel, and after argument had herein, The Court over rule the motion - Deft being again brought to the Bar, and asked if he hath anything further to say, why the Sentence of the law should not be pronounced agt him, moved in arrest of Judgment -

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Personally appeared in open Court, Daniel Dallahan and acknowledged the Execn. of a Power of attorney to Michael Delohan of the State of Virginia for the purposes therein mentioned -

Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Case. Dge $100 - Cont. last term
)
Joseph Brown) on Mo for new trial -

Parties appeared by their Counsel and this Cause continued for consideration -

Cinda Chatsey)
)
vs) Case. dge $50.
)
Cardinal & Avelin)

Continued for award untill Wednesday next -

James Dooley)
)
vs) Case. Tro & conv. Value $60. Dge $30 -
)
Bailey Johnson)

Parties appeared by their attornies and this cause continued until tomorrow -

John Moore)
)
vs) Case. Dge $100 -
)
Daniel Sullivan)

Continued to tomorrow -

William Lindsey Adm. of)
)
James Lindsey Dec.)
) Case. Dge $200
vs)
)
Joshua Bond)

Sci Fa to revive, referred, and continued for award.

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
John Colbert)

Personally appeared in open Court, Joseph Culbertson and William Peterson and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the United States the sum of fifty dollars each, to be levied of their respective goods and Chattels, lands and tenements if default should be made in the following Condition. The condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden Joseph Culbertson and William Peterson do personally be and appear on the first day of the next term of this Court to give Evidence on behalf of the United States in this Cause, and not depart the Court without leave, then this Recog. to be Void. Otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue in law

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Thursday morning, October 3rd Court met according to adjournment from yesterday,

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(Daniel Sullivan Asso. Judge.

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
Noah Purcell)

On Mo. of defendant for leave to with draw his plea in this Cause, The Court Sustain the motion, and Plea with drawn - Whereupon personally appeared in open Court Noah Purcell and acknowledged

himself to be indebted to the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars and John Johnson his security. Came and acknowledged himself to owe the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars - to be levied of their respective goods and Chattels, lands and tenements if default should be made in the following condition -

The conditions of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden Noah Purcell do appear here on first day of the next term and answer to the Indictment Preferred against him for Assault & Battery, then this Recognizance to be void, or otherwise remain in full force and Virtue -

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United States)
)
vs) Indt. for Assl & Batty
)
William Wilson)

Personally appeared in open Court William M Wilson and acknowledged himself to be Indebted to the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars, to be levied of his Respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements if Default should be made in the following conditions - The Conditions of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden William M Wilson do appear here on the first day of the next term and answer to an indictment Preferred against him for assault and Battery, then this Recognizance to be void, Otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue in Law.

Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Verdict last term for $85
)
Joseph Brown)

on motion for new trial Parties appeared by their attornies and the motion for new Trial with drawn - Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum of Eighty five Dollars, in manner and form aforesaid, by the Jury aforesaid found together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Defendant in mercy o

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James Dooly)
)
Vs)
)
Bailey Johnson)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and several Witnesses being called, The Crier Returned "No answer" Whereupon on motion of Gen W Johnston atto for Pltff. Ordered that this Cause be and the same is hereby continued to next term, and on motion, ordered that an alias attachment Issue against, Margaret Anderson and Melvin Derbin - And also that an attachment Issue against Caty Carrico and Joseph Brilton Returnable to next term - and on motion - Personally came Thomas Anderson and acknowledged himself to be indebted to the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars, to be levied of his goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements if Default should be made in the following Condition - The Conditions of this recognizance is such that if the above Bounden

Thomas Anderson do appear here on the Second Day of the next term to give Evidence in this Cause, and not depart the Court without Leave, then this Recognizance to be void, Otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue in law -

Joshua Bond)
)
vs)
)
Robert Allison)

Referred heretofore - and Continued for award

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United States)
)
vs) Indt. (word illegible)
)
Samuel Rocus)

Personally appeared in open Court, Samuel Rocus, and acknowledged himself to be indebted to the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars, and Hyacinthe Lasalle his security acknowledged to owe the United States the sum of Fifty Dollars., to be levied of their respective goods and Chattels lands and tenements if default should be made in the following Condition - The condition of the Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden Samuel Rocus do be and appear here on the first day of the next term and answer to an Indictment against him for Trading with Indians without licence, then this recognizance to be void, Otherwise to remain in full force & Virtue in law -

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United States)
)
vs) Indt. Ploa. Guilty -
)
William French)

Defendant appeared, and after Examination of Witnesses, it is ordered that the Deft make his fine to the County of Knox in the sum of Ten Dollars - together with costs of Prosecution, and that Deft Stand Committed until fine and Cost be paid -

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Alexander Duchain)
)
vs) on motion for Certiorari
)
Robert Buntin &)
)
T Dubois)

Ordered by the Court, that a Writ of Certiorari do issue directed to Elihu Stout and Frederick Graeter, Justices of the Peace, to Certify the record and proceedings had before them in a certain action of Forceable Entry and Detainer, wherein Robert Buntin and Henry (Alias) Lawry Dubois are Plaintiffs and Alex - Duchain is Defendant and that the same be made Returnable to Monday the Seventh day of this term

Peter Jones)
)
vs) T. Case. Dge $500:
)
C. H. Fillinghart)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Ashmore, William Collins, Ephraim Gilmore, Joseph Hollingsworth, Michael Starner, John Roderick, Phillip Devore, William Bass, Thomas

Anderson, Bailey Johnson, James Dooly, and Allen Reeves - twelve good and lawful men, who being Elected tried and sworn, on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Eighty nine Dollars Seven & three fourth cents in Damages -

Sam Ashmore foreman.

Therefore it is considered that the Pltff. do recover of the defendant the sum afd. in manner & form afd. found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in their behalf Expended & said deft in mercy &

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United States)
)
vs) Ind.t. for trading with
)
Samuel Moore) Indians Without License -

Personally came in open court Samuel Moore, and acknowledged himself to be indebted to the United States the sum of one hundred Dollars. and Joshua Bond and George R. C. Sullivan appeared in Court and acknowledged to owe the United States twenty five Dollars each to be levied of their Respective Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements if default should be made in the following Condition - The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the above Bounden Saml Moore do personally be and appear here on the first day of the next term and answer to an Indictment against him for trading with Indians, Without Licence then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and Virtue in law

United Stated)
)
vs) Indt. on new trial
)
Christian Graeter)

United States by Isaac Blackford Prosecuting Attorney, and Defendant in his own proper person whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Ashmore, William Collins, Phillip Dejean, William W. Wilson, Ephrain Gilmore, Joseph Hollingsworth, Michael Starner, John Roderick, Thomas Anderson, Bailey Johnson, James Dooly, and Alton Reeves twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and Sworn, on their Oath say, We of the Jury find the Defendant not guilty

Samuel Ashmore foreman

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United States)
)
vs)
) Indt. asst. & Batty
Saml. Noling, man)
)
of Colour)

The defendant was this day brought into Court, and delivered up to the Custody of the Sheriff, It is therefore ordered that the Recognizance entered into before the Justice, in this cause be and the same is hereby Discharged -

On motion of Prosecuting attorney, Ordered that John Cowan Shew Cause at the next term why he should not be fined for not attending at this term as a Traverse Juror,

Knox County

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Ordered that Court adjourn to nine oclock tomorrow morning -

Dvd. Raymond

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Friday Morning, Oct 4th

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday -

Present(David Raymond Presiding Judge
(Daniel Sullivan, Asso Judge.

Louis Longnor)
) Tres. Vi ct armis -
Vs)
) On Sci. Fa. to revive -
Lourient Bazadone)

in the name of Executors - Motion to revive granted - Parties appeared by their attornies and this Cause continued to Monday next.

James McClure)
)
vs) Tres Case. Dge $500
)
William Wilson)

Parties appeared by their attornies, Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Samuel Stucky, Ephraim Gilmore, John Sheets, Wm Collins, Phillip Devore, Joseph Woods, Frederick Claycomb, Michael Starner, John Roderick, James Greenfield, Samuel Ashmore, and John Cowan, twelve good and lawful men, Who being Elected, tried and sworn on their oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff, Forty Six Dollars in Damages -

Saml Stucky foreman

Whereupon on motion of Deft that the Plaintiff Shew cause Why a new trial Should not be granted - Ordered that Cause be shewn tomorrow morning Before the Jury retired in this cause the defendant filed the following Bill of Exceptions

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To Wit, John McClure, vs Wm Wilson. In this cause it was in evidence that there was a special agreement that the Deft should give the Plaintiff two Dollars per day for every day that he or his men should be engaged in Building an house for him the Deft. There being no Testimony to Contradict this Evidence the Deft by his Counsel Moved to instruct the Jury, that, that Evidence did not support the Declaration, which was refused by Court and the Jury directed that the Testimony would support the action, to whihh opinion the deft by his Counsel Excepts, and prays this his Bill may be signed Sealed and made a part of the records, which is done accordingly

D. Raymond.

D. Sullivan

On motion of John Johnson atto for the heirs of Peter Barrickman, Ordered that Saml Emison be and he is hereby appointed commissioner for the division of said Estate, agreeable to an order of last Court - in place of Robert Buntin Jr. he having declined acting as such Commissioner -

United States)
)
Vs) Indt.
)
Sam Noling)

Defendant arraigned and Plead not guilty, and put himself on the Mercy of the Court - Whereupon, after examination of Witnesses, It is considered by the Court that the Deft. make his fine to the County of Knox in the sum of Eight Dollars, together with Costs of Prosecution, and that he stand committed until fine and costs be paid -

Ordered that Court -adjourn to nine oclock tomorrow morning

Dvd Raymond.

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Satturday Morning October 5th

Court met according to adjourmment from yesterday.

Present (David Raymond Pres Judge.

On motion of Margaret Watson, admonistratix of the Estate of John Watson, late of Knox County Decd. by Isaac Blackford her attorney, ordered that the real Estate of the said Interstate, in this County, and all the rights Title and Claim of the said Interstate at the time of his death, to any Real Estate in the said County of Knox, be sold by the said administratix, and conveyed to the Purchaser thereof, and that the Proceeds of such sale be appropriated to the payment of the Just debts of the said Interstate, and the Maintenance & Education of the Children, according to law- and if the said land should sell for more than is sufficient for the

Purposes aforesaid, than the said administratrix to be accountable for the residue, in the same manner as by law, she is for other Personal Property, of the intestate.

It is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk make out three advertisements, to signify and give notice of the said sale, and of the day and hour when, and the place where the same will be sold, and what lands are to be sold and where they are situate.

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William McIntosh)
)
vs) Tres Case. Dge $400
)
Simon Vanarsdal)

Parties appeared by their attornies, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Stucky, Joseph Woods, Joseph Williams, Ephraim Gilmore, John Roderick, John Sheets, James Greenfield, Michael Starner, Jonathan Purcell, Saml Thompson, Saml Ashmore, and John Cowan twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and Sworn, on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Two hundred and Seventy three Dollars and fifty cents in Damages -

Saml. Stucky foreman -

It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the sum aforesaid by the Jury aforesaid, in manner and form aforesaid, found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said deft in mercy &c -

William McIntosh)
) Trcs. Vi et armis
vs)
) Dge. $1,000
Simon Vanarsdal)

Verdict for Defendant, last term, and now, at this day, it is considered that the defendant do recover of the Plaintiff his costs & charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Plft in mercy --

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Ma- son - pe - con- goh.)
)
or the owl)
) Case Detinue, Value $518.00
vs)
) Damage $1,000
Thomas Jones)

Parties appeared by their Counsel Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Stucky, Jonathan Purcell, Joseph Woods, Joseph Williams, John Cowan, Joseph Hollingsworth, Saml Thompson, John Roderick, Ephriam Gilmore, Phillip Devore, Michael Starner and John Sheets, twelve good and lawful men, who being elected, tried and sworn, on their oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff the Black or Mulalto girl in the Declaration mentioned, of the Value of Three hundred and Fifty Dollars - and the Costs Cut, saw in the Declaration mentioned, of the Value of seven dollars and Fifty cents

Saml Stucky Foreman -

On motion for a new trial, Ordered that the Pltf Shew cause on Monday next why a new Trial should not be granted --

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The Clerk having this day laid before the Court a list of Administrations granted by him since the last term of this Court. The same are approved and ordered of Record, as follows - viz.

June 29th 1816 Admn. on the Estate of John Watson granted to Margaret Watson, Widow, and John Peek and Jeremiah Jones, Surety in $500 --

July 24 Admn. on the Estate of Thomas Cooper, granted to John Ewing, and Robert Buntin Jun. & John McClure, Surety in $500

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August 1st Admn. on Estate of Thomas Champney Granted to Daniel McClure, and John Ockeltree and Saml Adams Surety in $500.

August 12th Admn. on the Estate of Geroge C Copp Granted to Mark Bennett, and G. W. Johnston and John Small Surety in $1000

August 2nd Samuel Early; Will Proven - by the Subscribing Witnesses- No administration yet granted --

August 26th Admn. - on the Estate of Joseph Creely granted to Jerome Creely, his father, and Hy Lassalle and John Meyers Surety in $800

Sept 4th Admn. On the Estate of Pierre St Mary granted to Jacque Andri, and H. Lasalle, and Jno Ant. Lafond Surety in $800 -

Admn on the Estate of Charles Deneau, granted to Cecile Deneau, his widow, Sept 6., and Wm. McIntosh and J. B. McCall Surety in $1,000

Admn on the Estate of John Simmons Granted to F Sholt, Sept 9th and Wm. McIntosh and I. B. McCall Surety in $1000 --

Sept 10th Admn. on the Estate of John Meyers Granted to F Sholts, and F Blackman & H Lasalle Surety in $1,000

Sept 10th Admn. on the Estate of John C Smith granted to F Sholts, and F. Blackman & H Lasalle Surety in $$1,000

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Oct 4th Admn. on the Estate of William Smith granted to Thomas Smith, and William Walker and William Whitley Surety in $1000 --

Oct 5th Admn. on the Estate of Richard Bowman granted to James Lemen, and George Leech Sen and Michael Thorn Surety in $$1,500

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 Oclock Monday Morning.

David Raymond

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Monday Morning Oct 7th

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

(David Raymond Pres Judge
(Present
(D Sullivan Assoc Judge

Sally Patterson, Now Sally Daynie)
)
Admx. of Squire Patterson Dec -) Debt $38.37½
)
vs) Dge - $50 --
)
John Rodarmel & Amos Adams)

John Rodarmel, One of the defendants, appeared in his own Proper Person and confessed Judgment for the amot. of the Debt in the Declaration Mentioned, Amounting to the sum of Fifty eight Dollars

and thirty seven and a half cents, With Interest from the sixth day of June 1816 until paid. It is therefore Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover of the sd Defendant the sum afd. in Manner and form afd. confessed, together With her costs and Charges by her about her suit in this behalf expended, and said def- in mercy --

Louis Longnor)
)
vs)
)
Robert Buntin & Henry Dubois)
)
Executors of Lourient Bazadone)

Parties appeared by their attornies Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Stucky, Samuel Adams, Henry Barkman, John Wyant, Daniel Richy, Isaac Chancellor, Wm Watson, Laderwick Earnest, John Purcell, John Johnson, Adam Hamiss, & Fried Lemen, twelve good and lawful men, Who being elected tried and sworn, on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff, twelve Dollars and Fifty cents in Damages

Saml Stucky

foreman

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It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defts, the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid, by the Jury aforesaid found together with his costs & charges, and said def. in mercy &c --

Hugh Shaw)
)
vs) Appeal --
)
Thomas White)

Parties Appeared by their Attornies and after the Examination of Witnesses, and argument had herein, the Court take time for consideration --

Ma - son - pe - con - goh)
)
or The Owl)
) T Case - Dge $1
vs)
)
Thomas Jones)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Samuel Adams, Henry Barkman, John Wyant, Daniel Richy, Isaac Chancellor, William Watson, Laderwick Earnest, John Purcell, John Johnson, Adam Hamiss, Friend Lemen, and William R McCall, twelve good and lawful men who being elected, tried and sworn, on their oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff One thousand Dollars in Damages -

William R. McCall foreman

On motion of defendant, Ordered that the Plaintiff shew cause tomorrow, why a new trial should not be granted --

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On the Written application of Emanuel L. Dubois, an Orphan Child of the Late Toussaine Dubois, and over the age of fourteen years, Ordered that Henry Dubois be and he is hereby appointed his guardian,

and that the said Guardian Enter into Bond With Sufficient Surety, in the Clerks office, in the sum of three thousand dollars.

On Application of Aseph A Chadsey of the age of 13 years Sephrona Chadsey of the age of 11 years, and James A. Chadsey of the age of 7 years, Orphan Children of Benjamin Chadsey, late of Knox County, Dec. Ordered by the Court that Joshua Bond be and he is hereby appointed their guardian, and that he, the said guardian Enter into Bond with Sufficient Surety, in the Clerks office, in the Sum of Eight hundred Dollars, Conditioned as the law directs --

On motion of Isaac Blackford Prosecuting attorney for the United States in and for the County of Knox, Ordered that James Aeel, William Arnett, David Lillie and Miles Dolohan, Shew Cause, if any they can, on the first day of the next term, Why they should not be fined for a contempt offered to this Court, in not attending at this term as traverse Jurors --

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The Heirs of Henry Pea)
)
vs) In Chancery
)
William Reed)

The Court having fully examined the Bill, answer and Exhibit in this Cause, do order, and Decree, that the Complainants Bill be Dismissed and that the Deft do recover of the complainant his costs and Charges by him about his defence in this behalf most wrongfully Expended.

James Miller)
)
Vs) Case Slander.
)
David Smith)

Parties appeared by their Counsel Whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Saml Stucky, John Cowan, Francis Roderick, John Roderick, Abraham Decker, James Nabb, Ethelred Bass, William Miner, William Gamble, Hugh Shaw, William Price and Thomas Case twelve good and lawful men who being Elected, tried and sworn on their oath, say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Fifty Dollars in Damages

Saml Stucky foreman.

On motion of Defendant, Ordered that Plaintiff shew cause tomorrow why a new trial Should not be granted -

James Scott claims two Days attendance as Witness in the cause, James Miller, vs David Smith, and being sworn to the truth thereof, the same is allowed --

Ordered that Court adjourn to Eight Oclock tomorrow

David Raymond

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Tuesday Morning October 8th

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday.

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(Danl Sullivan Associate Judge.

Richard Steel)
)
vs) Debt.
)
Benjamin Harrison)

Defendant in his own Proper person, and Confessed Judgment for the sum of one hundred and Eighty Dollars Debt & Interest. It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid confessed, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and said Defendant in Mercy th--

James Miller)
)
vs) on motion for new trial
)
David Smith)

Parties appeared by their counsel and the defendant by his, counsel withdraws the motion for new trial in this Cause, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid by the Jury aforesaid, in manner & form aforesaid found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Plaintiff by his counsel, comes into court and remits to the Defendant the damages aforesaid found, and the same is remitted unto him -

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Ordered that it be certified, that Willis Osbourne of Gibson County is a man of good moral Character --

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Alexander Duchain)
)
vs) on motion for Certiorari
)
Robert Buntin & H Dubois)

Ordered by the Court that a writ of Certiorari do issue Directed to Elihu Stout and Frederick Graeter Justices of the Peace to Certify the Record and Proceedings had before them in a certain action of Forceable Detainer, Wherein Robert Buntin and Henry (alias Lawry) Dubois are Plaintiffs and Alex Duchain is Defendant and that the same be made Returnable Instanter --

John Case & Thomas Case)
) Trover & Conrr. Dge $500
Adm. of Joseph Case Dec.)
) Judgt by Deft - set
vs)
) aside and Plea filed.
Eli Hawkins)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, where upon came a Jury, to wit, Samuel Stucky, Saml Adems, William R. McCall, John Cowan, William Watson, Friend Lemen, Ludowick Earnest, Jacob Chris, John Purcell, Henry Barkman, Adam Harniss and James Nabb - twelve good and lawful men, who being elected, tried and sworn on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Twenty three Dollars in damages -

San Stucky foreman

On motion of Defendant, Ordered that the Pltf Shew cause tomorrow why a new Trial Should not be granted --

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William L Coleman)
)
vs)
) Petition & Summons
Ned Sims, Jack Butler,)
)
& Francis Jackson)

Motion for new trial over Ruled. and the Plaintiff by his counsel moved a Judgment wherefore it is Considered by the Court, that the Plaintiff do recover against the Defendants, The sum afd by the Jurors afd. in their Verdict in form afd. assessed together With his costs about his suit in this behalf expended - and the Plaintiff by his counsel, comes into court and remits to the Defendants the sum of Sixteen Dollars and seventy two cents, part of the Verdict aforesaid, and the same is remitted unto them.

Patsey Roberts this day came into Court and Settled her account as administratrix of the Estate of Joseph Roberts Dec. and after a strict examination of the accounts, and allowances made there remain in the hands of the said administratrix the sum of three hundred and Seventeen Dollars and nine cents --

Sally Patterson, Now Sally Daynie)
)
Adm of Squire Patterson Dec.)
) Debt $72.50
vs)
) Dge $50
Samuel McClure & David Wilkins)

Samuel McClure one of the Defendants in this cause, came into court and Confessed Judgment for the debt in the Decln mentioned, amounting to seventy two Dollars and fifty cents With interest from

the fifteenth day of April 1816 - It is therefore Considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the said Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid confessed together with her costs and charges by her about her suit in this behalf Expended and said def. in mercy -

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John Moore)
)
vs) Case Dge $100
)
Daniel Sullivan)

Defendant Appeared in his own Proper person and Confessed Judgment for the sum of forty three dollars in Damages. It is there fore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendart the sum aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and it is further Considered, that the def have Stay of Execution, until first day of May next

Nicholas Buckner)
)
vs)
)
Henry Williams)

on motion, and by consent of parties by their counsel, Ordered that a Dedimus Issue on behalf of each party, Directed to any Justice of the Peace in the State of Kentucky to take Depositions, Relble to next term -

Elections Mudd)
)
vs) Debt $506;61½ Dge $50
)
Henry Gilham &) This cause held for Consideration
)
James L Petty)

Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Case Dge $300 -
)
Wm Lindsey)

Referred heretofore, and Continued for award

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Daniel Moore)
)
vs) Case Dge $500
)
Benjamin Chadsey)

Parties Appeared by their attornies Whereupon came a Jury to wit, Saml Stucky, Saml Adams, William McCall, John Cowan, William Watson, Friend Lemen, Ladowick Earnest, Jacob Chriss, John Purcell, Henry Barkman, James Nabb, and Isaac Chancellor, twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and sworn on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the defendant,

Sam Stucky foreman.

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Defendants do recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and said Plaintiff in Mercy &c --

Sally Hanie Adm)
)
vs) Appeal
)
Lewis West)

On motion of Defendant and after argument had herein, ordered by the Court that the Appeal be, and the same is hereby Dismissed. It is therefore considered that the deft do recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Pltf in Mercy &c --

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John D Hay)
)
vs) Case. Dge $500
)
Henry Gilham)

Plaintiff appeared by his attorney and Deft being called came not but made default whereupon came a Jury - Sam Stuck, Saml Adams, William McCall, John Cowan, William Watson, Friend Lemen, Ladowick Earnest, Jacob Chriss, John Purcell, Henry Barkman, James Nabb, and Isaac Chancellor, twelve good and lawful, men, who being Elected tried and sworn, on their oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Four hundred and ten Dollars and twenty Seven cents in damages

Wm McCall foreman.

It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid by the Jury aforesaid in manner & form afd. found together With his costs & Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Deft. in Mercy --

E. T. Bass, Claims Six days Attendance Saml Letzer 12 days, John W Bain 12 days, and Wm. Gamble 4 days - as Witness in the Cause, Sally Daynie Adm. vs Lewis F West and being sworn to the truce thereof, the same is allowed --

Charles Sinks, Nathan Hathaway & John Stone, Claim two day attendance each Abra Case 3 days, Wm. Hawkins & Thos Golding 5 days each, as Witnesses in the Cause. J & T Case Admr. vs., Eli Hawkins - and being sworn to the truth, the same is allowed.

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 OClock tomorrow morning.

David Raymond

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Wednesday Morning October 9th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday-

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge
(Daniel Sullivan Associate Judge.

John Long)
)
vs)
)
William Cummins)

Truman Blackman having been summoned as Garnishee in this cause, appeared in court, and being sworn, says he has in his hands the sum of Forty five Dollars, of the Defendants Money.

James Shaw)
) On Attacht. against John F. Thompson Constable,
vs)
) for a Contempt.
Daniel Rankin)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and after argument had herein, the Court take time to consider --

Thomas Emison)
) T Case Dge $300
vs)
) Judgt by Default
G.R.C. Sullivan & J. B.)
)
McCall Admr of D.)
)
Vanderburgh Dec.)

Parties appeared by their ettornies and by consent the Judgt by Default Set aside - and the Defts by his attorney Confessed Judgment for the sum of forty nine dollars and twenty six cents in Damages - It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendants the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid confessed, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and said Deft in mercy - And it is further considered that the Deft have Stay of Execn. until the first of December next.

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Selly Patterson, (now Sally Haynie)
)
Admix of Squire Patterson Dec) Debt $31.25
)
vs) Dge $25
)
Nicholas Cardinal & Charles Loudmilk)

Plaintiff appeared by her Counsel, and Defendants being called came not but made Default. It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defts the sum of Forty one Dollars and twenty five cents Debt, With Interest from the 15th day of April 1816, together with her costs & Charges by her about her suit in this behalf expended and said Defts in Mercy --

Judge Sullivan Absent.

James P. Minor)
)
vs) Certiorari
)
Daniel Sullivan)

On motion of Genl W Johnston attorney for Pltff to Dismiss the Appeal, the court take time to consider --

Hugh Shaw)
)
vs) Appeal
)
Thomas White)

Parties appeared by their attornies and after argument had, and on Inspection of the Record, It is considered by the Court that the Judgment of the Magistrate be and the same is hereby confirmed and that the Plaintiff Hugh Shaw, do recover of the Defendant Thomas White the sum of Forty Dollars together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and said def in Mercy --

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James L. Minor for the Use of

Isaac Minor)
)
vs) Debt $170 - Dge $100
)
Daniel Sullivan)

Plaintiff appeared by his Counsel and Defendant being called came not but made default. It is therefore Considered that the office Judgment had hercin be, and the same is hereby confirmed, and that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum of one hundred and Seventy dollars Debt, together With his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said deft in Mercy --

William Wilson Com.)
)
vs)
)
John Miller assignee of)
)
J. R. Rayment, who was)
)
assignee of Solomon S. Story)

on Application of the Complainant, an injunction is awarded to him in this cause to stay all proceedings at law until the same shall be heard in chancery he, the said Complainant Entering into Bond With Sufficient Surety, Conditioned as the law directs, Within 10 days -

Joseph Lamotte &)
)
James Gibson) Case. Dge $200
)
vs)
)
Benj Harrison .)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, Whereupon came a Jury, to wit,

William McCall, Samuel Adams, Henry Berkman, Friend Lemen, Wm Watson, John Cowan, Ledowick Earnest, David Reel, Isaac Chancellor, Daniel Recky, John Johnson, and John Purcell, twelve -

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good and lawful men, Who being Elected, tried and Sworn on their Oath say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Sixty Dollars in Damages.

William McCall foreman -

On Motion of Deft ordered that Plaintiff Shew cause tomorrow why a new trial should not be granted --

James Shaw)
) on attachment agt. Constable held
vs)
) for Consideration this morning
Daniel Rankin)

John F Thompson the Defendant appeared and being Sworn, says that he executed the attachment in the above Cause, upon the Property in the return mentioned - and that by direction of the Plaintiff he did not remove the property, Which Transaction was approved of by Justice Black - That a part of the Property attached viz. the Side Saddle remain in the Plaintiff hands, and that the Plaintiff on the Defendant is informed and Verily believes, disposed of a part of the property attach Vizt.. Hogs., and that he made use of a part of the corn - at the time of Service the attachment great danger was apprehended from the Indians from what he deemed it Impossible to take Possession of the Property --

The Court take time to consider hereof until tomorrow -

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Richard VanKirk, this day came into Court and Settle his accounts as Administrator of the Estate of the Estate of Joseph Picaux Decd. and after a strict Examination of the accounts, and Voucher filed, there remains in the hands of the administrator the Sum of Fifty one dollars, Sisty Seven and a half cents

Mathias Mounce this day came into Court and Settled his accounts as administretor of the Estate of Henry Mounce Dec. and after a Strict Examination of the accounts, and Vouchers filed, there remains in the hands of the administrator the sum of five hundred and Eleven Dollars and forty Six and a half cents ordered that the aforesaid amount be disposed of according to law

Ordered, that Court adjourn to Eight Oclock tomorrow morning

David Raymond.

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Thursday morning October 10th

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

Present (David Raymond Presiding Judge

James Shaw)
) on attachment against John F. Thompson,
vs)
) constable for Contempt -
Danl Rankin)

The Court being fully advised herein order that the said John F Thompson be discharged and that he go hence without day. and that the Recoginzance Entered into for his appearance, be and the same is hereby discharged --

on motion of Genl W Johnston, guardian of Thresa Rainbeault heir of Henry Rainbeault Ordered that Jean Bte Banois administrater of the said Henry, appear here in this Court on the third day of the Ensuing term thereof and Settle his account of the Administration of the said Estate --

James S Miner for the use of Isaac Minor
vs
Danl. Sullivan

Previous to the signing of the record. The Deft appeared and moved that the Court reconsider, the Judgment Entered in this cause yesterday - Whereupon the Court take time to Consider

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Sally Patterson, now Sally Haynie, Adm. of Squire Patterson Dec.
vs.
Jean Bte Fontaine & Charles Louchelle

Judge Sullivan Present

Debt $50.12½

Dge $50

Plaintiff appeared by J. Johnson her attorney, and Deft being

called came not but made Default, It is therefore considered that the office Judgment had herein be confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defts in the Debt in the Decln mentioned amounting to Fifty Dollars, twelve and a half cents with six pr cent Interest from the 15th day of April 1816 together with her costs & Charges by her about her suit in this behalf Expended

Wm Prince & Benj Becker)
) Debt $300
Exors of Par. Becker dec.) Dge $50
vs)
Joshua Bond)

Defendant appeared by John Johnson, his attorney, and confessed Judgment for the debt in the Declaration mentioned, to be Discharged by the payment of two hundred Dollars. It is therefore Considered that the Plaintiffs do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner and form afd. confessed together with their costs and Charges by them about their suit in this behalf Expended and Deft in Mercy &c-

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William Medford)
) Case. Dge $100.
vs)
Pierre Andri)

Parties appeared by their Counsel whereupon came a Jury, to wit, William R. McCall, Saml Adams, Alex Hutton, Isaac Chancellor, David Reel, Daniel Richey, Henry Barkman Ladowick Earnest, Friend Lemen, John Purcell, John Roderick, and William Watson, twelve good and

lawful men who being elected tried and sworn, on their oath say We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Fifty two dollars and nine cents in damages -

William McCall foreman

It is therefore considered that the Pltfl do recover of the Deft the sum aforesaid by the Jury afd. in manner and form afd. found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and Said Deft in mercy & c --

It was agreed in this cause before the Jury retired, That if it should appear that a Recovery at common law could not be had upon a last Paper, by Introducing the Pltf alone to prove the loss of the note, that a new trial should be granted.

Lawry & Clark)
)
vs) Debt $245. Dge $100.
)
Thomas McCall)

Pltfs appeared by John Johnson their attorney and dismissed this suit, It is therefore considered that the Defendant do recover of the Pltf his costs and charges, by him about his Defence in this behalf Expended, and said Pltf. in Mercy &c --

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William Medford)
)
vs) on Libel for Divorce
)
Sally Medford)

William Medford appeared by his counsel and the Defendant

although Summoned, did not appear The Court after hearing the Evidence on the Part of the Complainant order and Decree That the said William Medford be divorced from the Banns of Matrimony Soleminzed between him and the Defendant Sally Medford, and that the same do stand annulled, and entirely set aside as fully and Completely as if the said Marriage had never been Solemnized and it is further ordered and decreed by the Court now here, that the said William Medford do pay unto the said Sally Medford the sum of two hundred Dollars, Should this court hereafter consider that he shall do so, at such time or time and in such Sum or Sums as this Court in a future Decree or Decrees may think Proper to Order and direct - Whereupon the said William Medfore Personally appeared in court and acknowledged himself indebted to the Judges of this Court or their Successors, The said sum of two hundred Dollars; Conditioned that the said William Medford pay the said sum should this court hereafter consider the said Sally Entitled to: in such gales and it such time or times as this Court may hereafter deem reasonable and Just

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William L. Colman)
)
vs) Petn & Sum. Debt $51.00
)
James Stuart &)
)
Zachariah Pullian)

On motion, ordered that the Plaintiff have leave to amend the

Petition & Summons Issued in this cause by inserting the name Pullam, after Zachariah, and on motion it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant James Stuart The Debt in the Petition mentioned amounting to the sum of Fifty one Dollars. With Six per cent Interest from the 24th day of April 1816 - together with his costs and charges, by him about his suit in this Behalf Expended, and said Defendant in Mercy Ordered that this suit be Dismissed as to Pullian.

Elections Mudd)
)
vs)
) Debt $506. 62½
Henry Gilliam &)
)
James S Petty)

Plaintiff appeared by J Johnson his attorney, and the Deft Henry Gilliam being called came not but made Default, it is therefore Considered that the office Judgment had herein be confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the Said Defendant the Debt, in the declaration mentioned, Amounting to the Sum of Five hundred and Six Dollars and Sixty two and a half cents, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Defendant in Mercy &c --

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On the Written application of Jane Dubois Widow of Toussaini Dubois Dec. Ordered that Henry Dubois be, and he is hereby appointed

Guardian to James Dubois an orphan Child of the age of Eight years and that he, the said Guardian Enter into Bond in the Clerk office in the sum of three thousandy dollars With Sufficient Surety conditioned as the law directs,

Ma son Pi Con Gal or the Owl vs Thomas Jones	)	Detinue - on motion for new trial -

Parties appeared by their Counsel and after argument had herein, the Court take time to consider --

William Purcell vs Geo. R. C. Sullivan	)	Certiorari adm of Hy Vanderburgh dec.

The Party appeared by their Attorney and the Court being now fully advised herin, do adjudge & Order that the proceedings had herein be reversed, and that the said William recover of the said

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administrater his costs and charges, by him about his suit in this behalf expended, to be levied of the goods & C of the said dec. if so much they have in their hands, if not then & and they in Mercy &c-

Ordered that the Court adjourn to morrow morning Eight oolock

David Raymond

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Friday Morning Oct - 11th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

(Present (Dav Raymond Pres Judge
(Dan Sullivan Asst. Judge

Application was made at the last term of this Court by Hyacinthe Laselle to set aside the Probate of a Paper purporting to be the Will of Antoine Marshall dec- and admitted to Probate in Vacation by the Clerk. and for the rejection of Letters Testamentary thereon; and the Evidence taken by the Clerk, as well as Sundry other Testimony Introduced and Examined, before us at the said Term of our said Court, by the Consent of the said Laselle and Francois Tisdale, and Executrix appointed in said Will, together with the arguments of counsel, having been heard at the last Term, and time taken till this Term to advise thereof, and the same being now fully understood, It is considered by the Court that the said Instrument of Writing is Sufficiently and legaly Proven to be the last Will & Testament of Antoine Marshall Dec- and is good and available in law for the granting, Conveying and assuming of the lands and tenements or heriditaments thereby given or devised, as well as of the goods & Chattels thereby bequeathed, and that therefore the said applications is over ruled, and the admission by the Clerk of the said will to probate is confirmed, and Letters Testamentory ordered to be granted by the Clerk thereon, in such manner and upon such Conditions as the Law prescribes --

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On Motion of John Johnson Esq. who presented an application on the part of the heirs of John Lite dec. John Ockeltree, Samuel McClure & Thomas Emison are appointed Commissioners to decide the Estate of the said John Lite Dec. amongst the said Heirs according to Law --

William Bruce and Elizabeth this day settled With the Court, their accounts as administrators of the Estate of John Lite Decd. and after a Strict Examination thereof, it appears that the said administrator have paid the sum of Twelve Dollars and Sixty seven and a half cents over & above the Proceeds in their hands, arriving from the Sales of the Personal Property of the said Decd.

Cenar Huff Adm of)
)
Abraham Huff Dec.) Sci Fa to shew
)
vs) cause.
)
John F Thompson)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and after argument had herein, the Court take time to consider hereof untill tomorrow --

Charles Smith)
)
vs) Appeal
)
Homer Johnson)

On motion of George R. C. Sullivan Defts attorney, ordered Dedemus do Issue on the Part of Deft directed to any Justice of the Peace in the State of Kentucky, to take Depositions and this Cause continued to next term -

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James Sullivan)
)
vs) On Certiorari
)
Daniel Sullivan)

The court having taken time to consider upon the motion for Dismissal in the cause, delivered their opinion, as follows The motion for dismissal is overruled, on Mo. Ordered that the Clerk Deliver to the Sheriff a copy of the following acres, and that the Sheriff deliver a copy of the Same and make due return. Ordered that John B Drennire Esquire before whom the case of James Sullivan vs Daniel Sullivan was tried and determined make a return upon the Certiorari Issued and allowed on or Before the fourth day of the next term

John Dunckle)
)
vs) appeal
)
John M Bain)

Parties appeared by their Counsel, and this Cause Continued to next term.

Saml Lane) appellant
)
vs) appeal
)
John M Bain) appellee

The appellant by his counsel came into Court and Dismissed this appeal, it is therefore considered that the Appellee do recover of the Appellant his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended in Mercy --

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John Pea, Abraham Pea, Jacob Pea, Daniel Pea, Joseph Michel & Lisa his Wife Peter Frederick & Polly his wife & Peggy Pea heirs & Legal Representatives of Henry Pea Dec.

vs

Ann Asturgus, Wo. & relick of Minard Arsturgus Dec. Polly Asturgus, now the Wife of Danl. Smith Peggy Asturgus, Now the Wife of John Johnson and Robert Asturgus who are Children and Heirs of the said Minard Asturgus --

The Court, after a due Examination of the Bill, Answers an Exhibited, and on hearing the arguments of Counsel, being now fully advised herein, do award, order and decree, that the Bill in this cause be dismissed, at the Costs of the complaint, It is therefore considered that the Defts go hence without day, and that they, the said Defts recover of the Complts. their costs and Charges by them about their Defence in this behalf Expended and said Complts in Mercy &c ~~

William Medford)
)
vs)
)
Pierre Andre)

And now at this day Came the Parties by their Counsel, upon an arguments Entered into in the trial of this cause, and after argument had the court over Rule the motion to open the Judgment and grant a new trial Whereupon the Deft by his Counsel, tendered his Bill of Exceptions, which was signed by the Court --

Court adjourned to 8 oclock tomorrow

David Raymond -

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Satturday Morning October 12th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday.

Present(David Raymond. Presiding Judge
(Danl. Sullivan Associate Judge.

John Case & Thos Case -)
)
Admrs of Joseph Case Dec.) Trov. Conr. - Dge $500
)
vs) on motion for new trial -
)
Eli Hawkins)

Parties appeared their counsel, and the Court over Rule the Motion, It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum afd. by the Jury afd. in manner & form afd. found. together with their costs & charges by them about their suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in mercy &c --

Thos Jones)
)
vs) In Chancery
)
John W Elmurry)

On application of Complainant ordered that this cause be and the same is hereby remanded to the Rules --

Ma son Pi Con Gah.)
)
or the Owl.) Detinue on motion
)
Thomas Jones) for new trial

The court sustain the motion on payment of Costs - before the Record of today is signed - The Pltff tendered his Bill of Exceptions, which is filed - costs received

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Ma son Pe Con gah)
)
or the Owl) Case. Dge $1000
)
vs)
)
Thomas Jones)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and after argument the Court over Rule the motion for new trial. Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendants the sum aforesaid by the Jury afd. in manner and form afd. found, together With his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Deft in Mercy & C -- And the Plaintiff by his attorney comes into court and remits to the Defendants the sum of Four hundred & Fifty Six Dollars & Sixty Seven Cents part of the Verdict aforesaid found, and the same is remitted unto him

Joseph Lamotte &)
)
James Gibson)
) T. Case - Dge 500$
vs)
)
Benjamin Harrison)

Parties appeared by their counsel and the Court being now fully advised herein over Rule the motion for a new trial, whereupon on motion it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid by the Jury afd. by their Verdict afd. in manner and form afd. found, together with their costs and charges, by them about their suit in this behalf Expended and said deft in Mercy & C

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Judge Sullivan absent.

Francois Tisdale)
)
vs)
)
H. Lasselle)

On application to Establish a Paper purporting to be the last Will and testament of Antoine Marshall Dec. The court having Established the said will and ordered letters Testamentary to Issue thereon The said Lasselle Excepts to the opinion of the Court, and prays an appeal, which is granted him, he having entered into bond and Security Conditioned as the law directs, in the sum of two thousand Dollars - which Bill of Exceptions is filed --

Cenar Huff. admr. of)
)
Abraham Huff Dec.) on Sci Fa. agt Bail
)
vs) held for consideration
)
John F. Thompson) since yesterday

And now at this day came the Parties by their Counsel, and after

argument had, the Court over rule the Motion to sent this cause to the Rule Docket, and order the Deft to Plead Instanter, To which opinion the Deft Excepts, and tendered his bill of Exceptions, which is filed, and this cause continued to next term -

United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
John Colbert)

On motion of Prosecuting attorney, ordered that a Capias do issue against deft. Retble to next term -

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On motion of prosecuting attorney ordered that the Sheriff make an Entry of the Billiard Table of William Lindsey. In his Book of taxes as Entered on the 15th day of March 1816, and the said Lindsey be subject to tax for said Billiard Table from that time - and on motion it is considered that the said Lindsey pay the Costs of this Pros.

Ordered that Joshua Bond and Perre Andri be and they are hereby appointed to appriase the Personal Estate of John Redford Dec.

John James)
)
vs)
)
James S Brown)

On motion of G. R. C. Sullivan atto. for Deft. ordered that Dedimus do Issue directed to any Justice of the Peace in the State of Kentucky to take deposition on the part of said Deft. Retble to next term -

On the Application by Bill, of Wm McIntosh by Genl W Johnson his Counsel, Ordered that an Injunction do Issue from this court by the Clerk thereof to Stay the Proceedings upon a Judgment obtained in the Genl Court of Indiana in favor of Samuel A Chew and Eli Beatty, Adm. of Saml Lloyd Chew Dec. and that the said William McIntosh give Bond and Security in the clerks office, Within ten days, in the Sum of Two Thousand Dollars --

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At the Special request of Charles Dubpis an Orphan Son of the Late Toussaini Dubois and over fourteen years of age, Ordered that John Johnson be and he is hereby appointed his guardian - and that the said guardian Enter into Bond with Sufficient Surety in the sum of three Thousand dollars Conditioned as the Law directs --

Daniel Sullivan)
)
vs)
) In Chancery
Levi Compton Adm.)
)
of Steven Arnold Dec)

On application and on Bill Filed. Ordered that an Injunction be granted in this course to stay all Proceedings at law for two years and three months of the time named in the Will of Eligit. until the same shall be heard in Challenge - On the Complainants giving bond and Security in the sum of three hundred Dollars Within 10 days hereafter, in the Clerks Office - the Security to be approved of By the Clerk -

United States)
) Indt. on motion in arrest
vs)
) of Judgdt.
John Marney)

The Court being now fully advised herein, over Rule the motion, and Defendant being asked if he hath any thing further to say why the sentence of the law should not be pronounced against him, to which he says, he hath nothing to say. Whereupon on motion, It is considered

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that the Defendant make his fine to the County of Knox in the Sum of Fifteen Dollars - together With costs of Prosecution and that he stand committed untill fine and costs are Paid - to which The deft filed his Bill of Exceptions

Ordered that Court Adjourn to Court in Course.

David Raymond -

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At a Circuit Court, in and for the first Circuit began and held at the Court house in Vincennes in the County of Knox and State of Indiana on Monday the twenty fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventeen -

Present The Honble William Prince

The commission of the Presiding Judge Presented and read which is in the Words and figures following to Wit. Jonathan Jennings govenør

and Commander in Chief of the State of Indiana to William Prince sends greetings, Know ye that reposing Special Trust and Confidence in your integrity, Judgment and abilities, I have and do by these presents, commission you the said William Prince President of the Circuit Court Within the first Circuit, hereby giving and granting unto you as President of the Circuit aforesaid, full right and title to have and Execute all and singular the Power, Jurisdiction and authorities and to receive and Enjoy all and singular the Emoluments of said appointment To have and to hold this commission and the office hereby granted to you, until the next session of the general assembly. and until a Successor in office shall be appointed should you so long behave well, given under my hand and private seal This 8th day of February 1817. The first year of the State and of the Independenxe of the U. S. 41st

By the Govenor

R Acknew Sect.

Jonathan Jennings.

State of Indiana)
)
Knox County Sct.)

I. the subscribsr one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace in and for the said County do hereby Certify that the Within named William Prince. appeared before me this day and took the several oaths required by the Constitution and laws of the said State as Presiding

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Judge of the Circuit Court of the first Circuit in the State aforesaid, given under my hand & Seal at Vincennes this 24th February 1817.

F. Graeter J. P.

K. C. (Seal)

The Grand Jury being Called appeared and were sworn as follows - Daniel McClure, Foreman, Robert Elliot Samuel Adams, David Reel, Solomon Tevebaugh, Jacob Thorn, Noah Purcell, John Elliot, Patrick Simpson, Wilson Lagour, James Thrailkill, Joseph Cunningham, Phillip Wear, George Tevebaugh, Andrew Armstrong and Charles Smith who having received their Charge retired

John M Bain and Jeremiah Lockwood having been appointed by the Sheriff to attend at this term as Bailiff, came forward and Entered on their duties, as such officer -

William Hunnicut having been Summoned to Attend at the Present term as a traverse Juror appeared and offered his Excuse of Indisposition he is therefore released from further attendance at this term -

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 Oclock tomorrow morning

Wm Prince.

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Tuesday Morning Feby 25th 1817. Court met according to adjournment from yesterday -

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Present(The Honble Wm Prince
President first Circuit.

The United States)
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vs) Indt. asst. & Batty.
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Noah Purcell)

Defendant being arraigned Pleaded not guilty. Whereupon came a Jury to wit, Daniel Smith, Joseph Luster, Samuel Fugate, Nathaniel Kuy Kendel, Adam Harniss, John Simpson, William Clark, Levi Sanders, Samuel Carrothers, John Bastie Mathias Rose and Thomas Johnson, twelve good and lawful men who being Elected tried and Sworn on their Oath say, "We of the Jury, find the defendant guilty in manner and form as he stands Charged in the Indictment

Daniel Smith foreman

Personally appeared in open Court, Isaac Blackford, Jacob Kuy-Kendal and Gen W Johnston Commissioners, appointed at the June Term of the Circuit Court in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and sixteen, and acknowledged the Execution of a deed of Sale, or Confirmation, for Part of Judge Vanderbaugh Lot in Vincennes, Wilson Lagow,

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Personally appeared in open Court, John Meyers & Hyacinthe Lasselle to answer to a recognizance before F. Graeter Esquire and their being Nothing alledged against them, It is ordered by the Court that the Recognizance be and the same is hereby discharged --

United States)
)
vs) Indt. & Recog -
)
Samuel Moore)

The Defendant being arraigned Pleaded "Not Guilty, And whereupon came a Jury to wit, Samuel Wilson, John Adams, Walter Noel, William Williams, Hugh Kelly, Leonard R Snyder, Jacob Onthis, John Thickston, Samuel Bruner, John Welton, James Denny and Andrew Hilton, Twelve good and lawful men who being Elected, tried and Sworn on their Oath Say "We of The Jury find the Defendant not guilty --

Samuel Wilson

Foreman

It is therefore Ordered by the Court That the Recognizance heretofore Entered into by The said Def be and the same is hereby Discharged --

United States)
)
vs) Indt. Asst. & Batty
)
William Wilson)

The Defendant being arraigned, Pleaded "not guilty" and thereupon Came a Jury, to wit, Daniel Smith, Joseph Luster, Samuel Fugate, Nathaniel Kuy Kendall, Adam Harniss, John Simpson, Levi, Sanders, John Bustic Mathias Rose, Thomas Johnson, James Junkin and Jacob Pancake, twelve good and Lawful men who being elected, tried and Sworn on their Oath say, "We of the Jury find the defendant not guilty"

Daniel Smith foreman"

It is therefore ordered That the recognizance heretofore Entered into be and the same is hereby Discharged.

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United States)
) Indt. for selling Spirits
vs)
) To Indians
Samuel Rocus)

Joseph Barron having been Summoned to give Evidence in this Cause, and not appearing, on the motion of the Prosecuting attorney, It is ordered, that an attachment do issue against the said Witness to bring his Body into court, returnable Instanter, and the Defendant being arraigned at the Barr, Pleaded not guilty, and thereupon Came a Jury, to wit, Daniel Smith, Joseph Luster, Samuel Fugate, Nathaniel Kuy Kendall Adam Harniss, John Simpson, Levi Sanders, John Bastic, Mathias Rose, Thomas Johnson, James Jenkins and Jacob Pancake, twelve good and lawful men, who being elected tried and Sworn, on their oaths Say, We of the Jury find the defendant not guilty -

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the recognizance heretofore Entered into be and the same is hereby discharged

Will Henry Harrison)
)
vs) Petn & Sum
)
Truman Blackman) Debt $505.31.

Plaintiff appeared by his attorney and the defendant in his own proper Person comes and defends The force and Injury when &c and says

that he cannot deny the action of the said Plaintiff nor but that he doth owe to the said William Henry the said Five hundred & five dollars & thirty one cents the debt in the Petition Mentioned. It is therefore considered, that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid

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confessed, with six P cent Interest thereon from the first day of July 1815, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in Mercy &c --

United States)
)
vs) Indt. Asst Batty
)
Thomas Melton)

Defendant being arraigned at the Barr, Pleaded not guilty and puts himself on the mercy of the Court. Therefore it is considered that the Defendant make his fine for the County of Knox for the use of a Public Seminary, and that he satisfy the costs of this Prosecution and that he the defendant Stand committed until fine and costs be paid and said defendant in Mercy &c --

Ordered that Court adjourn to tomorrow morning 9 oclock.

W. Prince.

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Wednesday morning February 26th 1817. Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

The Honble William Prince
Present
President first Circuit

The United States)
)
vs) Indt. Verdict yesterday
)
Noah Purcell)

On motion for Judgment it is Considered by the Court that the Deft make his fine of five dollars to the State of Indiana, to the County of Knox to be rendered, for the use and benefit of a public Seminary. That he satisfy the costs of this Prosecution, and that he stand Committed untill fine and costs be Paid and the deft in Mercy &c --

William Lindsey adm.)
)
of James Lindsey Dec.)
)
vs) Case Dge $200
)
Joshua Bond)

This Cause having been heretofore referred to the arbitration of Jacob Kuykendal, Charles Smith, Elihu Stout, Charles Fisher, and William Jones, and no award being returned, on motion and by consent the same is continued for the award of the arbitrators

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United States)
)
vs) Indt. Asst & Batty.
)
John Colbert)

Defendant being arraigned at the Barr. Pleaded guilty and puts himself on the mercy of the Court - therefore it is considered that the Defendant make his fine of three Dollars. to the State of Indiana to the County of Knox to be rendered for the use and Benefit of a Public Seminary, that he Satisfy the costs of this Prosecution and that he stand committed until fine and costs be paid, and the Deft in Mercy --

Henry Stephen attorney and counsellor at law appeared in court, and produced Satisfactory Evidence that he received a licence from two Judges of the General Court and having this day taken the Oaths prescribed by the laws of the Country on motion of George R. C. Sullivan, Ordered that the said Henry Stephen be and he is hereby admitted to Practice in the Circuit Court in this County of Knox

James R. E. Goodlet attorney and Counsellor at law appeared in court and Produced Satisfactory Evidence that he received a Licence from two Judges of the General Court and having this day taken the Oath Prescribed by the Laws of the Country, on motion of Henry Stephenson, ordered that the said James R. E. Goodlet be and he is hereby admitted to Practice in the Circuit Court in this County of Knox -

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Antoine Gamelin having been heretofore Recognizance before F Graoter Esq to appear at this Court this day appeared in Conformity thereto, It is therefore ordered that the Recognizance be and the same is hereby Discharged --

United States)
)
vs) Indt. & Recognizance
)
Wm David Clark)

On motion and by consent of Prosecuting attorney & G. W. Johnston atty for Deft, this Prosecution and the Recognizance Entered into is continued to the next term; and on motion of Prosecuting Attorney, Ordered that a Venira do issue against the deft William Clark to shew cause at the next term of this Court why the Recognizance should not be forfeit and thereupon Personally appeared in open Court William Johnson Joseph Timms, Edward Perdoo, and Samuel Young and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of Indiana The sum of Fifty dollars Each, to be levied of their Respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements if default should be made in the following condition-

The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the above bounden William Johnson, Joseph Timms, Edward Perdoo and Samuel Young do personally appear here on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court next to be holden in and for the County of Knox to give Evidence on behalf of the United States against the Defts. Wm. David Clark, and not depart the Court without Leave, then this Recognizance

to be Void, otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue in law

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James McClure) Cont. from last term on motion
)
vs) for Pltff to shew cause why new
)
William Wilson) trial Should not be granted -

And now at this day came the Parties by their attornies, and the Plaintiff moved the Court to discharge the rule - which motion the Court Sustained, Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the deft the sum of Forty six Dollars, in Damages, by the Jury aforesaid, by their Verdict in manner and form aforesaid found, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft. in Mercy -

William Bryan having been Recognized to appear at this Court to give Evidence against Danl Sandburn and Joseph Cutler Prisoners who made their Escape from Confinement, on motion of the Prosecuting attorney and by direction of the Court the Recognizance of the said William Bryan is hereby Discharged --

William P. Bennett attorney and Counsellor at law appeared in Court and Counsellor at law appeared in Court his Licence from the Honble Judges Taylor & Scott two of the Judges of the former General Court for the Indiana Territory and having taken the oath Prescribed by the law of the County the said William P. Bennett is hereby admitted to Practise in the Circuit Court in and for the County of Knox

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The Grand Jury Returned to the Barr, and find the following true Bills

The State of Indiana)
vs) Indict asst & Batty.
Noah Purcell)

On motion of Isaac Blueford Esq Prosecuting Attorney, Ordered that a Dedimus do issue against the said Deft. returnable instanter- Whereupon Personally came in open Court the deft Noah Purcell, and William Purcell his only, Pledge and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the state of Indiana the Sum of Fifty dollars Each, to be levied of their Respective goods & chattels, lands and tenements if Default should be made in the following condition- The Conditions of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden Noah Purcell do Personally appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox in the first day of the Ensuing term thereof to answer to an Indictment Preferred against him and now Pending in said Court and not depart the Court Without leave then this Recog. to be void, or else to remain in full force & Virtue in Law

State of Indiana)
vs) Indt. Assault & Batty.
John Bruner)

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State of Indiana)
)
vs) Ind. Asst & Batty
)
John Bolthis)

On motion of Prosecuting attorney ordered that a Venira do issue Retble Instanter. Whereupon Personally came into open Court John Bolthis and William Purcell his only Pledge and acknowledged himself Indebted to the State of Indiana The sum of fifty dollars Each to be levied of their respective goods & Chattels Lands & tenements if default should be made in the following condition -

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden John Bolthis do personally appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term Whereof to answer to an Indictment Preferred against him and now pending in said Court and not depart the Court Without leave then this Recog. to be Void, or Else remain in full force & affect in law

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indt. Asst. & Batty
)
William Purcell)

On motion of Prosecuting atto ordered that a Vernia Issue Retnble Instanter, and thereupon Personally came in open Court William Purcell and John Balthis his only Pledge and acknowledged themselves Indebted to the State of Indiana the Sum of fifty dollars each to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and Tenements If Default

should be made in the following conditions

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The Condition of this recognizance is such, that if the above boundon William Purcell do personally be and appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term thereof, to answer to an indictment Preferred against him and now Pending in said Court and not depart the Court Without leave, then this Recognizance to be void or Else to remain in full force & effect -

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indictment for Larceny
)
Ned Simms)

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 Oclock tomorrow morning -

Wm Prince

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Thursday morning Feb. 27th

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday -

Present(The Honble Wm Prince
(President first Circuit -

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indt. asst. & Batty.
)
John Bruner)

The defendant being arraigned Pleaded guilty and put himself on the mercy of the Court - therefore it is considered that the deft make his

fine to the State of Indiana to the County of Knox to be rendered, for the use and benefit of a Public Seminary in the sum of two Dollars, that he satisfy the costs of this Prosecution, and that he stand committed until fine and costs be paid - and the said Defendant in mercy &c --

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indictment Larceny
)
Ned Simms)

The Prisoner being arraigned at the Barr Pleaded "not guilty" and thereupon came a Jury to wit, John Thickston, Samuel Carruthers, Mathias Rose, Jacob Pancake, Walter Neel, William Williams, John Adams, Joseph Lister, William Clark, Daniel Smith, Adam Harniss and James Junkin, twelve good and lawful men who being elected, tried and sworn on their oath say, We the Jury find the Prisoner Guilty in manner and form as he stands charged in the indictment John Thickston Foreman". - Whereupon the Prisoner by G. W. Johnston his Counsel moved in arrest of Judgment and filed his reasons therefor and the same is held, for argument tomorrow morning -

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The Grand Jury Appeared at the Barr and find the following true Bills of Indictment Vizt

State of Indiana) Indict. for an
)
vs) assault on
)
Lydia, a woman of color) Saml Anderson
)

State of Indiana)
)
vs.) Indictment for Larceny
)
Moses Rollins)

Personally appeared in open Court Moses Rollins and John Small his only Pledge and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of Indiana the Sum of one hundred and Fifty dollars Each, to be levied of their respective Goods & chattels, Lands and tenements if default should be made in the following condition.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the above Bounden Moses Rollins do personally be and appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term thereof to answer to an indictment Preferred against him for larceny and now Pending in said Court, and not depart the Court Without leave, then this Recog. to be void, or else to be and remain in full force and Virtue in law -

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State of Indiana)
) Indictment, Assault &
vs)
) Batty on James Andre
Henry Rusherville)

State of Indiana) Indictment for
)
vs) accepting a challenge -
)
Henry Rusherville) to fight, from James Andre

State of Indiana) Indictment for sending
) a Challenge to
vs)
) Henry Rusherville -
James Andre)

John M Bain)
)
adv.) Appeal
)
John Hincle)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and the Court being satisfied that the Appeal is not regularly before them order that the same be and it is hereby Dismissed --

On motion of Gen W. Johnston, Ordered that a Citation do issue directed to Jonathan Marney administrator of the Estate of William Blundel Dec. that he the said Administrator do appear before the associate Judges of the Circuit Court for this County to Settle his accounts as administrator of said Estate - - at their first meeting after the rise of this Court

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Christina Fullar)
) On Recognizance for
vs)
) Bastardy
John Flint)

This day came the Defendant in his proper person and by Gen W. Johnston his atto. moved the Court to be discharged on the Ground that the recognizance was informal and erronious, Which motion was overruled by the Court, The said defendant then moved the Court for a continuance of this Cause until next term, which motion was sustained, and thereupon the said John Flint acknowledged himself to be Indebted to the State of Indiana the sum of Two hundred and fifty Dollars to be levied of his respective goods and Chattels

lands and tenements if default should be made in the following conditions - The condition of this recognizance is such that if the above Bounden John Flint do personally be and appear in the Circuit Court for the county of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term thereof to answer to a charge of Bastardy Exhibited against him, and not depart the Court without leave, then this recognizance to be void, or Else to be and remain in full force and Virtue in law. -

Personally came into open Court Christina Fullar and acknowledged himself indebted to the state of Indiana the sum of one hundred Dollars to be levied of her respective goods and Chattels, lands and tenements if default should be made in the following condition

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The condition of the foregoing Recognizance is such that if the above Bounden Christina Fullar do be and appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term thereof to give evidence against John Flint on a charge of Bastardy and not depart the Court without leave, then this recognizance to be void, or else to be and remain in full force and Virtue in law --

Christina Fullar)
)
vs) Bastardy
)
John Flint

On motion and by consent of Parties Ordered that the Venue in this cause be changed to Davis County upon Condition that one of the Parties Enter into Bond according to law for the safe delivery of the Papers to the Clerk of the Davis Circuit Court -

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Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 Oclock tomorrow morning

W. Prince -

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Friday morning February 28th 1817 - Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

(Present - The Honble
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(Wm Prince -

On motion of Henry Knykendal by Gen. W. Johnston his attorney, Ordered that a writ of ad. qrod. Damnum do issue returnable to next term, to ascertain what damages &c may be sustained by his erecting a Mill and dam on his land, being the South east quarter of Section No 23, in Township No 12 No. of Range No 10. W. and that the Sheriff Execute the said Writ on the Second Monday in April next

On motion of G. W. Johnston atto for F Graeter for Judgment against Henry J Mills former Coroner of this County, for the amount of an Execution Issuing from the Clerks office of this Court Against Steven Mitchel and Benjamin V Beckes, Sheriff, in favor of Frederick Graeter, Which he failed to returned into the office as by law he ought to have done, and it appearing to the Satisfaction of the Court that the said Henry J Mills has been duly notified, It is therefore considered by the Court that the said Frederick Graeter do recover of the said Henry J Mills the sum of Eighty Six dollars and three cents, The amount of the said Execution together with his costs and charges upon the present motion and notice, Expended, and thereupon the Pltf by his

attorney d. acknowledges the receipt of Eighty six Dollars and three cents - to said Deft in mercy &c --

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State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indictment
)
Ned Simms)

On motion in arrest of Judgt The Prisoner being again led to the Barr, and the motion in arrest of Judgt. being fully argued on Both sides and the Court being fully advised in the premises, overruled the motion, and it being again demanded of the Prisoner whether he had anything further to say why the Court should not proceed to Pronounce the Sentence of the law. Whereupon the Prisoner by Gen. W. Johnston his Counsel moved the Court for a Rule against the Prosecuting Atto to shew cause why a new trial should not be granted, which motion was laid over until tomorrow for further consideration &c-

Moses Bedell)
)
vs) On attachment &
)
Elliott Wilson &) Office Judgt.
)
John Booty

Plaintiff appeared by G. R. C. Sullivan his attorney and defendants being solemnly called came not but made default, It is therefore considered that the office Judgment had herein be confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendants the sum of one hundred and

Fifty dollars good & lawful money of the United States with Six Pcent Interest from the fifteenth day of November 1813, until paid, together with his costs and charges by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and said Deft. in Mercy &c --

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Turman Blackman)
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vs) Trev Case Dge $300.
)
Sylvia Aiken)

Stephen Webb a witness Summoned in this cause, being called and not appearing, on motion and by consent of Parties this cause is continued until Tuesday next.

William Morrison)
5th Day)
May Term)
vs) T. Case
1818)
papers Francoise Vanderburgh) Dge $1500

Parties appeared by the attys and the plaintiff by Gene W. Johnson his atty Dismissed this suit. It is therefor considered that the Defendant so recover of the pltffs her costs and charges by her about the suit in this behalf expences, and said pltff in Mercy &c

Thomas Jones)
)
vs) Debt $1000. Dge $500
)
Nath Ewing)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnson his attorney and dismissed this suit; It is therefor considered that the Defendant so recover of the

Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf, Expended and said plaintiff in Mercy &c.

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 oclock tomorrow morning.

W. Prince

6th Day Page 397 Saturday Morn March 1st.

Court met according to adjournment from yesterday

Present Honorable Wm. Prince

President of the first court.

James C. Smith having been summoned as a traverse Juror came into Court and made his excuse of Indisposition which being satisfactory he is excused.

John Myers)
)
vs)
) Debt 66.25 Dge $100
Will McKay)
)
George McKay)

Parties appears by their council and on motion and by consent this cause continued until Tuesday next.

William R. McCall Esq. came into court and presented his commission as follows: Jonathan Jennings, Governor and Commander in Cheif of the State of Indidna. To all who shall see these presents - Greeting: Know ye that I have commissioned, and do by these presents commission Wm. R. McCall Associate Judge of the Circuit Court for the County of Knox for

and during the term of seven years and until his successor be appointed and qualified. Should he so long behave well, and do hereby authorize and empower him to do and perform all, and whatsoever to the office and duty of Associate Judge in any way belong or appertain, given under my hand and private seal at Corydon, the twenty fourth day of February, 1817, The first year of the State and of the Independence of the United States the 41st.Jonathen Jennings Governor R. A. New Secretary

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Independence of the United States the forty first

Jonathan Jennings

By the Governor

R. A. Neil Secretary"

State of Indiana)
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Knox County sct.) I the Subscriber one of the Justices assigned to keep the Peace in and for the said County, do hereby Certify that the Within named William R W Call appeared before me and took the Several oaths required by the Constitution and law of the said State, as associate Judge of the Circuit Court in the state aforesaid given under my hand & Seal at Vincennes this first day of March 1817 -

F. Graeter (P. K. C.)

Richard P. Price)
)
vs) Tres. Case. Dge $150.
)
John Patton)

Plaintiff appeared by Gen. W. Johnston his attorney, and Defendant being Solemnly called came not but made default and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Abijah Hull, Fredric Watson, Henry Dubois, Benjamin Haynes, Samuel Thing, John B. Stropes, Samuel Bruner,

Thomas Case, James S Brown, John Allen, Samuel Emison & Ethelred Bass, twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried & Sworn, on their oaths say We the Jury find for the Plaintiff one hundred and forty three dollars and thirteen & one half cents in Damages -

A. Hull foreman

It is therefore Considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the sum aforesaid in manner & form afd. by the Jury in their Verdict found together with his costs & Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended & the deft in Mercy &c ---

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William C Bradburn)
)
vs) Debt $402.50. Dge $200
)
John Parker)

Plaintiff appeared by G. R. C. Sullivan his attorney and defendant being Solemnly called, came not but made Default; It is therefore Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover against the Defendant the sum of Four hundred & two Dollars & fifty cents. to be discharged by payment of two hundred & ninety seven Dollars and Fifty cents, with Six p cent Interest from Novt. 26th 1815 (on Four hundred & two dollars & fifty cents) to March 4th 1816. and Interest on Two hundred & ninety seven Dollars & fifty cents. from March 4th 1816 until paid, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in Mercy & C. --

On motion of Jonathan Dotz, Ordered that it be Certified that he is a man of Honesty Property and good demeanour

John Ferguson)
)
vs) Dem. 159.67 3/4
)
Huston Maison)

Defendants Appeared by A Huntington his attorney and confessed Judgment for the sum of one hundred & fifty nine Dollars & Sixty seven & three fourth cents, to be discharged by the Payment of Sixty six dollars. It is therefore Considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the Sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid confessed together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said def. in Mercy &o --

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William L. Coleman)
)
vs) Debt $67.92½ Dge $100
)
William Duncan)

Plaintiff appeared by G. R. C. Sullivan his attorney and Defendant being called came not but made default, therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant, the sum of sixty Seven Dollars, Ninety two and one half cents, With Six P Cent Interest from the first day of March 1816, untill paid, together with his costs and charges by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended, and said def. in Mercy & c --

Mark Bernett)
)
vs) Debt $71.37½. Dge $100.
)
James Mabbe)

intiff appeared by Genl W. Johnston his attorney, and defendant being called came not but made default, It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the sum of Seventy one Dollars. thirty seven and a half cents, the debt in the declr mentioned, to be discherged by the payment of Sixty nine Dollars and Fifty eight cents, together with his costs & charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and the deft in mercy &c --

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Alexander Buckner)
)
vs) T. Case Slander
)
Samuel Carr)

Plaintiff appeared by Gen W Johnston his attorney and the Defendant being solemnly called came not but made default, and thereupon came a Jury to wit. Abijah Hull, Fredric Watson, Henry Dubois, Benjamin Haynes, Samuel Thing, John B Stropes, Samuel Bruner, Thomas Case, James S Brown, John Allen, Samuel Emison, Ethelred T Bass, twelve good and lawful men who being Elected, tried and Sworn, on their Oath say, We the Jury find for the Plaintiff, two Thousand Dollars in Dameges

A. Hull foreman

Whereupon on motion It is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover against the Defendant the sum aforesaid by the Jury aforesaid in manner and form afd. found, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said defendant in mercy

& c

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William Carruthers Esq. came into Court and presented his commission, as follows, Jonathan Jennings, Govenor and Commander in chief of the State of Indiana, to all who shall see these presents, Greeting: Know ye, that I have commissioned and do by these presents Commission; William Carruthers associate Judge for the Circuit Court for the County of Knox for and during the term of seven years and untill his successors be appointed and qualified.

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Should he so long behave well; and do authorise and Empower him to do and perform all, and whatsoever to the office and duty of associate Judge doth in any wise belong or appertain,-- given under my hand and Private Seal, at Corydon, the twenty fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Seventeen the first year of the State, and of the independence of the United States The Forty first --

By the Govenor Jonathan Jennings

R. B. Neil Secretary

State of Indiana)
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Knox County Sct.) I the Subscriber one of the Justices assigned to Keep the Peace in and for the said County do hereby certify that the within named William Carruthers appeared before me this day and took the several oaths required by the Constitution and laws of the said State, an associate Judge of the Circuit Court of the first Circuit in the state aforesaid, given under my hand & Seal this first day of March 1817. F. Graeter (P. K. C.)

William W. Wilson) On office Judgt.
) Tres. Vi et. Armis Dge.
vs) $5000, office Judgt. set aside
) and plea, Issue --
William Fench)

Parties appeared by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Toussaint Dubois, John Bruner, James McClure, James Nabb, Andre Helton, Daniel Smith, Pierre Andre, Pierre Cary, Joshua Bond, Valentine Bradley, John Decker & Lewis Rose

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twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and sworn on their Oaths say, We the Jury find for the Plaintiff one hundred Dollars in Damages.

T. Dubois foreman -

Whereupon on motion of Deft. ordered that the Plaintiff shew cause on Monday next, why a new trial should not be granted --

John James)
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vs) Debt $500 Dge $500
)
James Brown)

Plaintiff appeared by Gen. W. Johnston his attorney, and dismissed this suit, it is therefore considered that the defendant do recover of the Plaintiff his costs and Charges by him about his Defence in this behalf Expended and Said Pltf in mercy &c --

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 oclock Monday morning -

Wm. Prince -

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March 3rd 1817. (Wm McCall) ( ) -- (Wm Carruthers)

State of Indiana)
)
vs) On motion for new trial -
)
Ned Simms)

The Prisoner Being Led to the Bar, and the Court being fully advised in the Premises over rule the motion - and it being again demanded of the Prisoner whether he has anything further to say why the Sentence of the law should not be Pronounced against him, says "nothing" It is therefore considered by the Court that the Deft., Ned Simms pay to James Watson the Sum of Fifteen Dollars, that he pay to Joseph Lockwood the sum of Sixteen dollars, it appearing to the Court that those persons having had their goods restored and the above mentioned Sums being the Value laid in the Indictment - That he pay to Thomas Robinson the sum of Forty five Dollars it being two fold the Value of four Hats and the Value of one, Which is returned - that he make his fine to the State of Indiana, to the County of Knox to be rendered for the use and benefit of a Public Seminary in the sum of Fifty dollars, together with the costs of Prosecution and that he be Whipped on his bare back Twenty five Stripes, in some Public place near the

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Court House in Vincennes at 4 Oclock P. M. on this day the third of March 1817 -

And it is further ordered by the Court that in case the said Defendant shall not shew sufficient property Real or Personal, to discharge and satisfy the Sentence of the Court, that the sheriff Bind the defendant to some suitable Person to labour not exceeding seven years. Who will discharge the Sentence aforesaid, if no one can be found who will discharge said sentence in a less time as to the payments and fines, and that he stand committed untill Sentence be performed --

William W Wilson)
)
vs)
)
William French)

Parties appeared by their attornies and the Deft by Thos H Blake his attorney withdraws the Rule heretofore obtained for Plaintiff to shew cause &c, and there upon it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the Sum of one hundred Dollars aforesaid in manner and form afd. by the Jury in their Verdict aforesaid assessed, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and the deft in Mercy &c -

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United States)
)
vs) Indt.
)
John McClure)

On motion of Deft. to quash the Indt. the Court being advised in the Premises over ruled the motion, and on motion to with draw the Plea in this Cause, the motion was Sustained by the Court, and the deft. filed his plea of Non Assault and a Novel assignment by the Prosn. and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Fred K Watson, Thomas Johnson, Joseph Lister, Benj. A. Haynes, Daniel Smith, Samuel Carruthers, William Gamble, Saml. Fugate, John Welton, Matthias Rose, John Adams, and Saml. Bruner, twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and Sworn on their Oath say, We the Jury find the Deft. "Not Guilty"

Matthias Rose foreman

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indt. for accepting a
) Challegne
H. Busherville)

On motion of Pros. Attorney ordered that deft be and appear here tomorrow to shew cause why his Recog. should not be forfeit --

Same)
)
vs) Indt. for Asst. & Batty
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Same)

On motion of Pros. Attorney ordered that deft be and appear here tomorrow to shew cause why his recog. should not be forfeited

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State of Indiana)
)
vs) Recog & Ind.
)
Lydia, a woman of Color)

on motion of Prosecuting attorney, ordered that the deft. Wm. McIntosh be and appear here tomorrow to shew cause why their Recognizance should not be forfeited c --

Homer Johnson, this day Presented his Bond, in Security for the duties of Recorder of Knox County which is approved by the Court, and ic in the words and figures following -- -- viz.

Know all men by these Presents that we Thomas Johnson, John Ewin, Wilson Lagou, and Jacob Kuykendall of the County of Knox and state of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto Jonathan Jennings Governor of Said State and his successors in office, in the sum of Fifteen hundred Dollars, to be paid to the said Jonathan Jennings or his Successors in office, to which payment well and truly to be made. We hind ourselves and each of us Jointly and Severally, our, and each of our heirs, Executors and administrators firmly by these presents; Sealed with our Seals and dated this third day of March, one thousand Eight hundred and Seventeen --

The conditions of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Homer Johnson has been duly elected and commissioned by the said Governor, as recorder of Knox County, Now if the said Homer Johnson do well and faithfully discharge the duties of said office and deliver up (or his executors or administrators for him) The Records

and other Writings belonging to the said office, Whole. Safe and -

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undefaced to his Successor in office, then this obligation to be null and void; Otherwise to be and remain in full force and Virtue - c--

Signed Sealed and acknowledged in the Presence of

William Scott (Homer Johnson (Seal)
(
Lewis Jones (Jno Ewing (Seal)
(
(Wilson Lagou (Seal)
(
(Jacob Keykendall (Seal)

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indt for sending Challenge -
)
James Andre)

On motion of Prosecuting Attorney ordered that a Capias Issue against the Deft, Returnable to next term -

Thomas Jones)
)
vs) Chancery --
)
John M Elmurry)

The Court being fully advised herein, Order and decree that the Complainant Bill be and the same is hereby dismissed, and that the Defendant go hence without dey. and that he the said defendant do recover against the said complainant his costs & charges by him about his defence in this behalf sustained. and said complainant in Mercy --

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 Oclock tomorrow morning

Wm Prince --

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Tuesday morning March 4th Court met according to adjournment,

Present Honble Wm Prince, President of the first Circuit

Wm McCall & Wm Carruthers Esq. Assocoiate --

Nathan Taylor)
)
vs) Debt $121.. Dge $100
)
Samuel Stucky)

Plaintiff appeared by his Counsel and Defendant being called came not but made default, It is therefore considered that the office Judgment had herein be and the same is hereby confirmed, and that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the Sum of one hundred and twenty one Dollars - Debt. good and lawful money of the United States, With Interest from the first day of March 1812 - untill paid - together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended - and said Defendant in Mercy & c --

Stephen Hands)
)
vs) Case. Dge $700
)
John Meyers)

Plaintiff appeared by J. H. Blake his attorney and dismissed this Cause It is therefore considered by the Court that the Plaintiff take nothing by his Writ for his false Clamor, and that the deft recover of

the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his defence in this behalf Expended and said Plaintiff in Mercy &c --

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Nathl. Breading & Co)
)
vs) Debt $66.08
)
Daniel Decker)

Plaintiff appeared by his Counsel and defendant being called came not but made default, It is therefore considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the sum of Sixty six dollars and Eight Cents Debt good and lawful money of the United States with Interest from the 23rd day of May 1816 until paid together with their costs and Charges by them about their suit in this behalf Expended, and said Deft in Mercy &c --

William Morrison Assye
of John Curry)
)
vs) Debt. $78 --
)
Luke Decker)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston his attorney, and defendant being Called came not but made default. It is therefore considered by the Court that the office Judgment had herein be and the same is hereby confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant the Sum of Seventy Eight Dollars with Interest thereon from the first day of May 1811, untill Paid, together with his costs and Charges by

him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said deft in Mercy & c-

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Isaac Coone)
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vs) Trov. & Conv. Value $60 --
) Office Judgt. Set aside.
Levi Lander) Plea filed & Issue --

Parties appeared by their Counsel and thereupon came a Jury, towit, Isaac Chancellor, William Minor, John Adams, Adam Harris, Joseph Lister, Hugh Kelly, John Bastic Samuel Carruthers, James Denny, Absolom Thorn, John Thixton, and Samuel Thing, twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and Sworn, on their oaths say, We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff Fifty one dollars in Damages,

Saml Thing Foreman

On motion ordered that Plaintiff shew cause why new trial should not be granted

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indt. for Assault &
) Battery --
Henry Rusherville)

Personally came in open Court Henry Rusherville and Antoine Rusherville his only Pledge and acknowledged themselves Indebted to the State of Indiana the sum of Fifty dollars Each to be levied of their respective goods and Chattels, Lands and tenements if default should be made in the following condition -

The condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bounden Henry Rusherville do be and appear in the Circuit Court for the County

of Knox on the first day of the Ensuing term thereof and answer an Indictment for Asst & Battery and not depart the court without leave then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and Virtue in law --

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State of Indiana)
) Indt. for accepting
vs)
) Challenge
Henry Rusherville)

Personally came in open court Henry Rusherville and Antoine Rusherville his only Pledge and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of Indiana the sum of one hundred dollars Each to be levied of their respective goods and Chattels, lands and tenements if default should be made in the following conditions The condition of this recognizance is such that if the above bounden Henry Rusherville do be and appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Knox on the first day of the term thereof and answer to an Indictment for accepting a Challenge and not depart the Court without leave, then this Recognizance to be void, Otherwise to be and remain in full force and Virtue in Law --

James Read)
)
vs) Debt $207.
)
Henry Gilham)

Plaintiff appeared by his attorney & Deft. being called came not but made default. It is therefore considered that the office Judgment

had herein be and the same is hereby confirmed and that the Plaintiff do recover of the Defendant the Sum of two hundred and Seven dollars with interest thereon from April 5th 1816, untill paid, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and Said deft in Mercy &o --

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On motion of G. R. C. Sullivan Attorney for Thomas Scott Assignee of one of the heirs of Michael Noaux Ded. Ordered that Robert Elliott, Joseph Hollingsworth and John McDonald Commissioners appointed by the Court of Common Pleas at the May term 1811 - to divide a Certain donation Tract of land of 400 acres known by the No 27 in the Old donation, amongst the Several heirs of the said Deceased, do complete their said return so as to designate and lay off to the said Thomas Scott the share of the heir which he represents

State of Indiana)
)
vs) Indictment
)
Lydia, A woman of Color)

Defendant being arraigned Pleaded guilty and puts herself on the mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant make her fine to the State of Indiana, to the County of Knox to be rendered for the use and benefit of a Public Seminary in the sum of three Dollars together With the Costs of Prosecution, and that she stand committed untill fine and costs be paid -
and deft in mercy & c--

Thomas Handy)
)
vs)
) Tres. Vi. ot. Dge $500.
Peirre Andre)
)
Frederic Sholts)
)
Wm Noy & Others)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and on motion the office Judgment had herein set aside on Payment of Costs, Whereupon the Defts filed their Plea of Genl Demurrer and this cause continued to tomorrow

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On motion of Archibald Scott by his Counsel Ordered by the Court that Ned Simms be released from the Custody of the Sheriff he having been taken on a Ca Sa in favor of Wm L Coleman, The said Ned Simms having been Sold to the said Archibald Scott under the Sentence of this Court, to serve him the said Archibald the full term of four years and it is further ordered that the Sheriff deliver the said Ned Simms, into the possession of the said Archibald Scott.

Personally came in open Court Benjamin Beokes Sheriff of Knox County and acknowledged the Execution of an article of Sale as follows "Be it remembered that in persuance of an order made by the Circuit Court holden in and for the County of Knox at the Feb. term in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen I Benjamin Beokes Sheriff of said County have this day for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred Sixty one Dollars & Sixty one cents to me in hand paid by Archibald Scott. Sold unto the said Scott a negro man named

Ned Simms for the term of four years from this date In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 4th day of March, The day and year above Written.

Charles Smith)
)
vs) Appeal
)
Homer Johnson)

On motion of G. R. C. Sullivan Atto for Deft. Ordered that this appeal be and the same is hereby Dismissed It is therefore considered that the Deft recover of the Pltf his costs and charges by him about his defence in this behalf sustained, & Pltf in Mercy &c --

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Elizabeth, Beckes Adm)
of William Clark Dec.)
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vs) Case. Dge $3000
)
Benj V. Beckes & Wm)
Prince Exors of Parmenas)
Beckes Dec.)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and on motion and by consent of Parties this cause is continued untill next term.

Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Case Dge $300 --
)
William Lindsey)

Parties appeared by their counsel and on motion and by consent this Cause is Continued untill next term, for award.

Ordered that Court adjourn to 9 oclock tomorrow morning

W Prince

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Wednesday Morning March 5th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday (Present Wm Prince, President
(first Circuit -
(M R McCall) associate
(Wm Carruthers) Judges

Judge Prince absent from the Bench

James S Minor)
vs) on certiorari
Daniel Sullivan)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and on motion of G. W. Johnston Atto for Pltf. to dismiss the Certiorari after argument had the Court take time to consider --

Judge Prince Present

John Ewing)
vs) T. Case Slander Dge $9000
Nath Ewing)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and the defendant moved a Continuance of this Cause, Which motion is sustained by the Court and the same continued to next term, to which opinion of the Court the Pltf by his counsel Excepts and filed his Bill of Exceptions which is signed and Sealed by the Court and on motion of Plaintiff by his atto for

confirmation of the office Judgment had herein the Court over rule the motion, to which opinion of the Court the Plaintiff excepts and filed his bill of exceptions which is signed and sealed by the Court and on motion of defendant by his counsel Ordered that Dedimus Potestatum Issue directed

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to any Justice of the Peace in the State of Kentucky and the State of Maryland, to take depositions of Witnesses on behalf of the deft. The opposite Party having due notice of time and Place of taking such depositions.

John Claycomb)
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vs) Debt $67.74 Dge 100.
)
John Meyers)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and on motion the office Judgment had herein, set aside, whereupon the deft. filed a Plea of General Demurrer and after argument had, The court overruled the Demurrer

It is therefore considered by the Court that the Plaintiff do recover of the deft the sum of Sixty Dollars and Seventy four cents Debt good and lawful money of the United States, together with his costs and charges by him about his suit In this behalf Expended, and said deft in mercy & c --

John Hemmington)
)
vs) Debt $60.12½. Dge $100
)
Nancy W Shepherd)
& Joseph Shaw)

Personally came in open court the Defendent Nancy W Shepherd in her own proper person and defends the force and Injury when & C and says that she cannot deny the action of the said Plaintiff nor but that she doth owe to the said John. The said Sixty Dollars and twelve & a half cents, The debt in the declaration mentioned It is therefore considered by the court that the Plaintiff do recover against the defendant Nancy Shepherd the sum aforesaid in manner and form aforesaid Confessed together with his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended, and Deft in mercy & c --

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Isaac Coone)
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vs) On motion for new trial
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Levi Lander)

The court after argument had herein sustain the motion on the payment of Costs by ten oclock tomorrow morning, Otherwise Judgment to be Entered up according to Verdict --

Thomas Handy)
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vs) Tres. Vi et Armis. Dge $500
)
Pierre Andre)
Frederic Sholts)
Wm Noy & others)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and the demurrer of the defendant to the Plaintiff declaration being Solemnly argued It is considered by the Court that the Demurrer be over ruled and leave given to withdraw the same and to Plead, Whereupon the defts by their Counsel afd. Pleaded the General Issue and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Samuel Carruthers, Joseph Lister, Samuel Thing, William Clark, Mathias Rose, James Denny, Samuel Bruner, Levi Lander, John Simpson, John Adams, John Welton, and Abijah Hull twelve good and lawful men who being Elected tried and Sworn, Then came the Plaintiff and says he will no further prosecute his suit against the deft Pierre Andre, Ettienne Dubois, Jean Bte, Magette, Michel Richardville, Pierre Barroir, and John Hogue on their oath say we the Jury find for the Plaintiff Sixty five dollars in Damages, against the Defendant, to wit, Frederick Sholtz William Noy and Peter Kuykendall

A. Hull Foreman

On motion Ordered that the Plaintiff shew cause tomorrow morning why new trial should not be granted -

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Personally came in open Court Benjamin V Beckes Sheriff of Knox County and acknowledged the Execution of a deed of Sale for a Lot and Premises in Vincennes, to Hyacinthe Lasalle as the Property of Joseph Barron, sold at the suit of Francois Lasalle Surviving Partner of I & F Lasaelle for the sum of Four hundred and ninety one dollars

Ordered by the Court that the third Monday in each month be and

the same are hereby appointed General Return days of Executions --

It is also ordered by the Court that a Piece of paper attached to any Process or official act of the Court With a wafer and the words "Knox Circuit Court" Written thereon, be considered the Seal of this Court, until a Public Seal be Provided --

Ordered that Court adjourn to tomorrow morning 9 oclock

Wm-McCall

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Thursday morning March 6th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday) The Honble William Prince
) President of the first Circuit
Present) William R McCall) Associate
) Wm Carruthers) Judges

James S Minor)
) On Certiorari
vs)
Daniel Sullivan)

This cause having been held by the Associate Judges of this Court yesterday, and they being now fully advised in the premises, sustain the motion to dismiss the certiorari. It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the deft his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Defendant in Mercy &c -

Judge Prince absent.

James Minor for the use of Isaac Minor vs Daniel Sullivan) Debt $170 Dge $100

Held at last term for consideration and now at this day came the Parties by their attornies and the Court being fully advised in the Premises do discharge the order obtained in this cause on the tenth day of the last term of this Court It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff have his execution against the Defendant conformably to the Judgment Entered up in this Cause at the last term of this Court-

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Ma Son Pe Con Gah vs Thomas Jones) Detinue

Parties appeared by their attornies and on motion and by consent this cause continued until next term

Judge Prince Present.

Truman Blackman vs Sylvia Aiker) Tres. Case Dge $300

Parties appeared by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Jeremiah Wood, Andrew Hilton Sam Carruthers, Walter Neel, William Wilson, Samuel Fugate, Saml Wilson, William Clark, Joseph Lester

John Simpson, William Minor, and James Denny twelve good and lawful men who being Elected, tried and sworn on their oath say- We of the Jury find for the defendant one hundred and four dollars and twelve and one half cents in damages c--

Jeremiah Wood foreman

On motion, Ordered that the deft. shew cause tomorrow morning why a new trial should not be granted - In this cause Steven Webb claims four days attendance at this Court as a Witness and being sworn to the truth thereof the same is allowed.

Thomas Handy)
)
vs)
)
Andre Sholty)
Noy & Others)

in this cause John Handy and John B Fernimore claim three days attendance Each as Witnesses and being sworn to the truth thereof, the same is allowed c--

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Peter Jones)
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vs) Case Dge $160
)
Henry Gilham)

Parties appeared by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Isaac Coone, Nath Kuykendall, Saml Carruthers, Sam Emison, Walter Neel, William Clark John Bustic, William Williams, James

Denny, William Minor, John Simpson and Samuel Fugate, twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and sworn on their oath say, we the Jury find for the Plaintiff Seventy nine Dollars in Damages,

Isaac Coone

forman.

on motion ordered that the Plaintiff shew cause tomorrow morning why a new trial should not be granted --

Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Tres. Case, Dge $230.
)
Robert Allison Jr)

This cause having been heretofore referred for arbitration, ordered by the Court that the same be and it is hereby continued for award --

Harrison & Pfrimmer)
)
vs) Chancery
)
Isaac Reece)

This day came the parties by their counsel, and the Court being now fully advised in the Premises, are of opinion that the injunction obtained by the complainants on a Judgment at law, obtained by the def. against the complainants as specially Stated in Bill and answer be dissolved and that the Bill of the complainants be dismissed - and it is further decreed that the defendant Recover of the Complainants Fifteen per Centum upon the Sum recovered by the deft. against the Complainants at Law together with his costs & charges by him about his

Defence in this behalf most wrongfully Sustained, and the complts in mercy &c --

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Stephen Butler)
)
vs) Tres. Case dge $200
)
Truman Blackman)

Parties appeared and by consent this cause dismissed at the defendants costs.

It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the deft. his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and said deft in mercy & c --

John Meyers)
) Debt $86.25 - Dge $100
vs)
) Office Judgt. set aside Plea
George M Kay &)
) filed and Issue Joined.
Will M Kay)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston his attorney, and the defendant George M Kay by A. Buckner his attorney, The Sheriff having returned "Non Est" as to the other deft. and thereupon came a Jury, to wit, Isaac Coone, Nath Kuykendall, Saml Carruthers, Saml Emison, Walter Neal, Wm Clark, John Bastic, William William, James Denny, William Minor, John Simpson & Saml Fugate twelve good & lawful men who being elected, tried and Sworn on their oath say we of the Jury find for the Plaintiff The debt in the Decln mentioned, to wit Eighty Six Dollars and twenty five cents, and four Dollars and thirty two and one half

cents in damages - Isaac Coone foreman

Therefore it is considered that the Pltff do recover of the said Defendants his debt and Damages aforesaid by the Jury aforesaid, by their Verdict in manner and form afd. found, together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and said deft in Mercy &c --

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Isaac Coone)
)
vs)
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Levi Lander)

In this cause a new trial was granted on payment of Costs by deft. and it appearing that the order of Court herein has not been complied with. It is therefore considered that the Plaintiff do recover of the defendant The sum of Fifty one Dollars in Damages, by the Jury aforesaid by their Verdict aforesaid in manner and form afd. found together with his costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and said Defendant in Mercy &c --

James Dooly)
) Trov. & Conr Value $60
vs)
) Dge. $50
Bailey Johnson)

Defendant appeared by his counsel and the plaintiff being called does not appear to prosecute his suit, It is therefore considered that he take nothing by his writ, for his false clamour, and that defendant will recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges by him about his

suit in this behalf expended and said Pltf in Mercy & c.

Cenan Huff admr of Abram Huff
vs
John F Thompson Spe Bail for Wm Thompson

On Sci. Fa -

The defendant by his counsel Plead a Special plea which being replied to by the Plaintiffs Counsel, and by consent a Jury is dispensed with, and the trial of the issue is referred to the Court - Whereupon the deft moved the Court to continue the cause -

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untill the Ensuing term of this Court, which being objected to by the Plaintiff counsel, the motion is overruled, and thereupon the defendant declaring he had no Testimony to offer in support of his plea on motion of the Plaintiff it is considered and ordered by the Court that the Plaintiff have Execution against the defendant for the sum of three hundred and three Dollars and Fifty six cents good and lawful money of the United States, being the residue of the Judgments, Interest and costs had in this court in the aforesaid cause of Abraham Huff against William F Thompson together with her costs and charges by her about her Sci Facias in this behalf Expended, and the said deft in mercy & c --

Ordered that Court adjourn to tomorrow morning 9, oclock

WM McCall

Knox County

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Friday morning March 7th Court met according to adjournment from yesterday-

Present Will R McCall & Will Carruthers) Associate Judges

The commissioners heretofore appointed to divide the Estate of Peter Barrickman Dec. amongst his devisees, agreeably to law and the last will and testament of the said Peter Barrickman Dec. this day made their report as follows c--

State of Indiana

Knox Co Sct. Before me the undersigned Presiding Judge of the Circuit Court of the said County, Personally came General W Johnston Ephraim Jordan and Samuel Emison and made oath according to law, that they, as commissioners appointed by the Circuit Court of Knox County for that purpose would divide the real estate of Peter Barrickman Dec. Within the said County of Knox, fairly and Equitably amongst his Devisees, having regard to his last will and testament, according to the best of their understanding and abilities.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Vincennes this 1st March 1817.

W. Prince (Seal)

Knox County

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State of Indiana) To The Honble the
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Knox County Sct.) Court of said County

We the subscribers commissioners appointed by your orders at the June and October term last past (1816) Do hereby Certify that after having taken the Oath required by law, we assembled at the house of Abram Barkman in Palmyra Township in the County aforesaid on the twenty Eighth day of December A. D. one thousand Eight hundred and sixteen in the forenoon, as we had appointed and notified, we proceeded to ascertain who were the several legatees Entitled to a Dividend under the last Will and Testament of Peter Barkman Dec. (The said Will & Testament being then and there before us) upon which Enquiry we Satisfactorily found and now report that the real estate of the said Peter should and is to be Divided between Abraham Barkman, Henry Barkman, John Barkman, John Caldwell who is tenant by the Courtesy in right of his wife Rebecca (now deceased) for their only offspring Eliza Jane. The heirs of Christian Barkman and William Snyder in right of his wife Susannah. We then next proceeded to ascertain in presence of all of the aforesaid Legatees and Devisees (a part of the heirs of said Christian Barkman excepted) what was the quantity and where it was situated of the Real Estate of the said Peter Barkman Dec. to be brought into and subject to division when upon their Information and unanamous consent it turned out to consist of the following lots.

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and tracts of Land, to wit, a town Lot on the rise near the Seminary lot in the town of Vincennes; a tract of Land of one hundred & ninety five acres on the Waters of Marie Creek being the Ballance of 340 $\frac{23}{00}$ granted to the heirs of Peter Barkman under concession of 1782 - another tract of one hundred and forty four Acres & Sixty hundred & Sixtieth on the waters of the River Duchis, Joining Harbin & Robbins and one other tract of Three hundred & twenty and fifty five poles or hundred & sixtieths, including the Farm or what is Called "The Barkman Place" all in the County of Knox & State aforesaid. Whereupon we Proceeded and Viewed the quality & State of the said lands except the Marie tract and town Lot, as to which we received satisfactory Information, upon which we found that three of the Legatees, to wit, Abraham Henry & John Barkman having since the deceased of the testator Peter, made considerable improvements upon the said Farm tract A Partisular and uniform Division thereof would be unavoidable because any division lines runing so as to make the tracts or Parcels in any Kind of form, would operate a material Injury to the aforesaid Improved, to obviate which Injury and injustice, it was agreed by the said John Caldwell on the part and in behalf of his said child Eliza Jane & by the said Abraham barkman, we do decide and report that the said Abram Barkman shall and do convey to the said John Caldwell in remainder to the said Eliza Jane Caldwell her heirs and

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Assigns, Sixty four acres and Fifty Poles, out of the quanity, being part of the said Farm tract which he the said Abraham heretofore Purchased at Sheriff. sale,, and the Ballance of the said Farm and River Duchis Tracts should be divided by proper meter and bounds then agreed upon. by the said several Legatees, which should be set out by one of your commissioners, Samuel Emmerson, and the same being now completed we do decide and report that the said Real Estate, with the Exceptions of the said Town Lot, Shall be & the same is hereby Divided in the following manner and Proportions, that is to say

To William Snyder in right of his Wife Susannah, the aforesaid 195 acres on the waters of Marie Creek-

To the heirs of Christian Barkman dec. Seventy one acres out of the Tract Joining Harbin by the following bounds, to wit, Beginning at the South corner of the 144 acres granted to the heirs of said Peter Barkman, adjoining Harbin running North 45° West 47 poles to a stake thence North 45° East 216 7/10 Poles to another Stake thence South 45° East 107 Poles to another Stake on the Old line; thence S 45° West 20 $\frac{7}{10}$ Poles to another stake, thence N 45° W 196 Poles to the Place of begining -

To John Caldwell in addition to the quantity heretofore purchased by him of said Abraham Barkman and of the 64 $\frac{50}{160}$ acres at this time agreed to

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to be conveyed to him by the said Abraham) in remainder to the said Eliza Jane Caldwell, her heirs & assigns, one hundred and Fifty, acres and 28 Poles out of the Farm tract By the following bounds, to wit, Begining at the South corner of the 340 acre Tract adjoining Christian Barkman & running thence N. 45° W 99 6/10 Poles to a Stake on the Old line, thence N. 45° E 241 25/100 Poles to a stake, thence S 45° E. 99 6/100 Poles to a stake, and thence S 45° W. 241 25/100 Poles to the Place of begining.

To John Barkman Seventy three acres and Sixty Poles by the following meter and bounds, to wit, Begining at the North Corner of the 144 acre tract running thence S 45° E 47 Poles to a Stake, thence S 45° W 61 Poles to another Stake Thence S 45° E 60 Poles to a Stake, thence S 45° W 83 Poles to a stake, thence N 45° W 107 Poles to a stake, and thence N 45° E 144 Poles to the place of begining.

To Henry Barkman Eighty five acres & thirteen and one half Poles, by the following Meters and bound, to wit, Begining at the south

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corner of the 170 acre Tract and running thence N 45° W. 145 1/10 Poles, to a stake, thence N 45° E - 49 7/10 to another Stake, thence S 45° E 20 Poles to another stake, thence N 45° E 51 2/10 Poles to a stake thence S 45° E 125 1/10 Poles to another Stake, and thence S. 45° W 100 9/10 Poles to the Place of begining.

And your Petitioners further report, that in their opinion the said town Lot will not admit of Devision, because of the in considerable

quantity of ground it contains & that which would fall to each of the said Legatees and that two of in considerable Value it being unimproved wherefore they are further of opinion and advise & recommend a sale thereof, pursuant to the Statute in such case made & provided

Given under our hands & Seals at Vincennes this first day of March A. D. one thousand Eight Hundred & Seventeen

Detail of Expenses to G. W. Johnston
1 of the Comm. & drawing Report $3.-
Eph Jordan 3 days o 4.50
Sam Emison as Com & Surveyor
4 days C o/1 - 6.00
$13.50

Gen W Johnston (Seal)
Ephm Jordan (Seal)
Sam Emison (Seal)

State of Indiana)
)
Knox County Sot.) Be it remembered that on this day the fifth day of March before me the Subscriber one

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of the associate Judges of the Circuit Court in and for said County personally came the Within named Gen W Johnston, Ephraim Jordan & Samuel Emison, Commissioners within named and acknowledged the foregoing act & Report of division to be their act & deed for the Purposes and as therein Stated In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand & seal at Vincennes -

Wm Carruthers

and it is agreed by the Parties that the confirmation or rejection of

the foregoing be continued to the next term of this Court. Agreeably to an order of this Court on tuesday last for the completion of the division of the Estate of Michael Neaux Dec. The commissioners heretofore appointed this day filed their Report as follows -- We Robert Elliott and John McDonald being appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County in the Indiana territory in May term in the year one thousand Eight hundred and Eleven to divide four hundred acres of Land, a lot in the donation, Number 27 between the heirs and representative of Michael Neaux Dec. and in pursuance of the said appointment and order to us directed we divided and laid out the said Lot in the following manner according to quality and quantity as pr return heretofore made, and that each one shall have their respective shares accordingly that had come to our Knowledge, That is 1st James Scott assignee of William McIntosh who is assignee of

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Michael Davis to have ninety two and half acres of and in the west corner of the said Lot No 27 -

2nd William Henry Harrison a Representative of one of the heirs of the said Michael Neaux To have ninety two and half acres in the South Courner of the said Lot No 27 and that James Scott assignee of the said William Henry Harrison to have Forty Six and one fourth acres of the said Ninety two and half acres assigned to the said William Henry Harrison on North West side of the said share, adjoining

his the said James Scotts first Share, also that Andrew Racaine (Known by the name of St Mary) Assignee of William Henry Harrison, to have Forty six and one fourth Acres of land on the South east side of the said ninety two and half acres Assigned to William Henry Harrison Now in Pursuance of another Order of the Cirouit Court in their present February Term in the year 1817, to us directed to compleat the division of the said Lot No twenty seven and to assign and fill up the Blanks of our former Proceedings to the owners and Representatives of said Lot, the remaining share we have assigned to Thomas Scott Assignee of John Bte Dannis The fourth share, to have one hundred and ten acres in the north Corner of the said Lot number 27 and that the other heir or representative of the same to have one hundred and five acres, in the East corner of the said Lot 27. - In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this sixth day of March in the year one thousand Eight hundred & Seventeen

Robt Elliott (Seal) Joseph Hollingsworth (Seal)

John McDonald (Seal)

This day personally came before me the undersigned one of the associate Judges in and over the said Co. Robert Elliott, Joseph Hollingsworth, and John McDonald and acknowledged the above to be their hands & seal and order the same to be recorded as such given under my hand and seal the 6th March 1817. -

Wm McCall Associate Judge

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Robert Harrison by G. R. C. Sullivan his attorney this day Presented an award made up by the arbitrators to settle the differences between the said Harrison and John Long, Chosen by the sd Parties whereupon John Long, by G. W. Johnston his attorney objects to the award, and the same is Continued to the next term --

Abijah Hull)
)
vs) T Case
)
William Burke)

Plaintiff appeared by G. W. Johnston his atto and dismissed this suit, therefore it is considered that the deft do recover against the Pltff his costs and charges by him about his defense in this behalf Sustained and said Pltff in Mercy

Benj. Haines)
)
vs) T Case
)
Mason)

Plaintiff appeared by Wm Bennett his atto. and dismissed this suit, therefore it is considered that the deft recover of the Pltff his costs and Charges by him about his defence in this behalf Sustained & Said Pltf in mercy c--

Cinda Chaisey)
)
vs)
)
Cardinal Avelin) This case having been heretofore referred, Ordered by the Court that the same be and it is hereby continued for the award of the arbitrators.

Alex Duchain)
)
vs) on Certiorari
)
Buntin & Dubois)
Exors of Bazadon)

Parties appeared by their Counsel and by Consent this Cause is Continued to next term -

John Meyers Asse)
)
of Jas B McCall)
) Debt. $650. Dge $800
vs)
)
Stephen Mitchel)

This cause settled by Parties and dismissed by Sheriff's return.

Ambrose Cornoyer for)
)
the use of Fr Amelin)
) T. Case
vs)
) Dge $200
Nicholas Villmere)

Continued to next term.

Jonathan Purcell)
)
vs)
) attachment
John Reed Jr adm)
)
of Benjamin Reed dec)

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Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Case Dge $200
)
Thomas McClain)

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Daniel Sullivan vs William Welton — Debt $47.34 - Dge $100.

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) T Case Dge $1200 -
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Owen Reiley)
)
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)
Babbit & Fairbanks) Dge $200.

Continued to next term

David Flora)
)
vs) Debt $200. Dge $200
)
Isaac Galland &)
)
George Antis)

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Slyvia Aikens)
)
vs) T Case - Dge $1000
)
Truman Blackman)

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)
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)
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)
David Richards)

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) Dge. $600.
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)
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)
John Cowan)

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John Euring)
) Case Slander
vs)
) Dge. $5000
Saml Parr)

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(John Talmon)
Papers ( )
(vs) T. Case. Dge $5,000
here ( )
(Chester Fitch &)
( )
(Cutler Leonard)

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John M Gregor Jr)
)
& Thomas Darling)
)
vs) T. Case. Dge $3000
)
Chester Fitch &)
)
Cutler Leonard)

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) Dge. $500
James Brown)

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James Brown)

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William Jones)
)
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)
John Cherry)

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Moses Rawlins)
)
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)
Thomas Lowden)

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Joshua Bond)
)
vs) Debt $60. Dge 100
)
William Hogue)

Dismissed by Sheriffs return.

Fr. Laselle)
)
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) In Chancery
Ettiene Bizayon)
)
& Mark Barnett)

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)
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)
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) In Chancery
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)
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John Long)

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George C Hart)
)
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)
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)
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Nath Ewing)

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)
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)
James Stewart)

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)
vs) Debt $100, Dge $100
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James Nabb)

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B. J. Harrison)
)
vs) Debt 45.47, Dge $100
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)
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Ordered that all Suits, and Causes of whatsoever nature now Pending and undetermined in the Knox Circuit Court, Not otherwise Provided for, be and the same are hereby continued to the next term --

Ordered that Court do now adjourn to Court in Course

Wm McCall

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